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Inter-State Nurseries

AMERICA'S LARGEST DIRECT-TO-YOU NURSERIES, HAMBURG, IOWA

This Spring 1948 Catalog

Will Help Make Your Home
More Fruitful, More Beautiful

GOLDEN SUNSET

P234 From Dr. Kraus of the University of Chicago comes this marvelous new chrysanthemum. The large flower is pictured actual size but it is utterly impossible to reproduce its real beauty. The face of the petals is a golden copper with an orange undertone and the back of the petals is a colorful red, giving an unusually brilliant two-tone effect. When we first saw the original plant, we fell in love with it and so will you. Makes a well-branched plant about 30 inches tall. Starts blooming in early September and for weeks is a solid mass of the most enchanting flowers. Offered this spring for the first time, you who want the newest, the most attractive and distinctive, will find for it a place of honor in your garden. We send you live, growing plants which have been vitalized with Ra-Pid-Gro. POSTPAID.

6 for \$3.50

Each \$1.00

3 for \$2.00



Tuberous Begonias

When you see these beautiful Tuberous Begonia flowers, you will wish that you had ordered more. No other flower can equal them for exquisite beauty. They are widely used as pot plants for winter bloom indoors and for summer bloom outdoors. A bed of them will provide a continuous display of flowers until frost. These are the double, Camellia type blooms, even larger than pictured, of perfect form, and carried erect on strong stems. With each order we send instructions for growing them both outdoors and indoors. The larger bulbs ordinarily produce more flowers. POSTPAID.

Your Choice of these 9 Colors

P308 Scarlet

P309 White

P310 Salmon

P311 Yellow

P312 Pink

P313 Orange

P314 Crimson

P315 Copper

P316 Carmine

Selected Bulbs

1 3/8 to 2 inches across

12 for \$2.00

5 for 1.00

2 for .50

Standard Bulbs

1 to 1 3/8 inches across

25 for \$2.25

10 for 1.00

4 for .50

MIXED SPECIAL

8P317 **12 Standard Bulbs, \$1.00**
Mixed Colors, for
Postpaid

8P307 Begonia Special

16 Red

12 Pink

8 White

12 Yellow

All **48 Standard Bulbs for \$3.85**

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How to Order

In the comfort and privacy of your own home, you can look through this catalog and select Inter-State's Guaranteed Nursery Stock and Seeds. Many prices are lower.

1. Write your order for Nursery Stock and Bulbs on the order blank on the back of this page.

2. Write your order for Seeds on the order blank at the back of the catalog between pages 82 and 83.

If you run out of our order blanks you can use any sheet of paper, but be sure to put your orders for Seeds and orders for Nursery Stock on separate sheets of paper. You can mail both orders in the same envelope. This will help us both since our Seeds are handled in a separate department and are shipped at once while Nursery Stock is shipped at the proper planting time *in your locality*.

3. Write full name, complete address on all orders.

In making out your orders please write or print very plainly, giving your full name and complete address, street or rural route. Also list your nearest express office if it is different from your post office as we sometimes ship by *prepaid express* instead of parcel post unless you object.

4. Order all items by catalog number.

This helps us give you better service and helps avoid mistakes. List quantity, variety and size of items wanted.

5. Total amount on both orders and send us money order, draft or check.

If you send currency or cash, wrap it carefully and register your letter. A money order is a better way to send payment. Please do not ask us to ship C. O. D. It costs you extra as the Post Office and Express Company make an extra charge on C. O. D. shipment.

Sales Tax

Customers living in Iowa will add 2% to the amount of their order, which the Iowa Law requires us to collect.

PLEASE HELP US CORRECT OUR MAILING LIST

If your name or address as shown on the catalog envelope is wrong, please write below BOTH the right and the wrong.

WRONG:

Name _____

Address _____

City, Zone and State _____

RIGHT:

Name _____

Address _____

City, Zone and State _____

If you received from us this Spring more than one catalog, write below the names and addresses on each envelope and mark the correct one. If you have an extra catalog, a friend or neighbor would appreciate getting it.

I received of your catalogs under the following names. Send my next catalog to the one I have marked (X).

Name _____

Address _____

City, Zone and State _____

If you have moved, write down BOTH your old and new address. Thank you.

Name _____

Old Address _____

City, Zone and State _____

**Send living gifts that
your friends will cherish
for years—Send them**

For Birthdays

For Anniversaries

For Mother's Day

For Any Occasion

Each year more and more people wish to send their friends and loved ones Living Gifts. It is very easy to do. Just select from our catalog whatever you wish us to send and give us the complete address of those to whom you want it shipped.

We will send them a suitable Gift Certificate giving your name as the donor and listing the stock (without prices) they will get. At the proper time we will send the stock to them.

Year after year your gift will be a reminder of your thoughtfulness.

Mail Your Order Early

On page 3 is a list of premiums you get for ordering early. Be sure to list the premiums you wish on your order so all can be sent in one shipment.

When you are through with your Spring Catalog, perhaps your neighbor would like to see it. Thank you.

INTER-STATE NURSERIES, Hamburg, Iowa

Name _____

Address _____

City, Zone and State _____

New Address _____

City, Zone and State _____

INTER-STATE NURSERIES, Hamburg, Iowa

Date _____ **1948**

Name _____
(Write Name and Address plainly. All members of one family please order under same name)

Street _____ **Number** _____ **R.F.D.** _____ **Box** _____

City _____ **Zone** _____ **State** _____

Express Office (If different from Post Office.) _____

Do not write in above space

If you want this order shipped to another person or to an address different from that above, give directions here.

Payment in full should accompany all orders. The best way is by Money Order, Check or Bank Draft. Avoid sending silver or stamps unless absolutely necessary. If you send silver, wrap it in heavy paper and REGISTER YOUR LETTER.

USE THIS ORDER BLANK FOR NURSERY STOCK AND BULBS ONLY

For Seeds, use order blank opposite page 83

SEEDS WILL BE SHIPPED SEPARATELY FROM NURSERY STOCK

Total Amount Enclosed

FREE! Be sure to put on your order the Premiums you select for sending in your order **EARLY**. See page 3.



Free THESE VALUABLE GIFTS FOR ORDERING EARLY

If you send us your order for Nursery Stock EARLY (seeds are not included), you may select Free Premiums as follows:

On Nursery orders of \$5.00 select one of these seven Premiums.

On Nursery orders of \$10.00 select TWO premiums.

On Nursery orders of \$15.00 select THREE premiums.

With each additional \$5.00 select one more premium.

The Premiums you select MUST BE WRITTEN ON THE ORDER, or none will be sent, even if you notify us later. However, if you send us another order, then you can include Premiums you overlooked on a previous order of the same season.

IMPORTANT—If we run short on some items, we reserve the privilege of changing premiums, sending you stock of equal or greater value.

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Inter-State's Guarantee

1. We guarantee our stock to be true to name. If it proves otherwise, we will replace free or refund the amount you paid us for it.
2. We guarantee our stock to be first quality and to reach you in good, live, growing condition. Examine it carefully upon arrival, and, if you are not entirely satisfied, return it at once and we will replace it free or refund your money.

We want you to be satisfied. If anything is wrong, we want you to write to us.

3. Our stock is carefully handled, and under ordinary conditions should grow for you. But if it does not, owing to the weather and other conditions over which we have no control, we will replace at half price the following season, you to notify us not later than October 1st, 1948, accompanying your report with remittance of one-half original purchase price.

AND THE MEN BEHIND IT



CARL O. (Billy) SJULIN



L. R. (Les) SJULIN



D. L. O. (Dave) SJULIN

The Inter-State Nurseries are owned and operated by three brothers, Carl O., Leslie R., and David L. O. SJULIN (this is a Swedish name and is pronounced "Shoe-lin"). Practically born and raised in the nursery business, we have grown to be the Largest Direct-to-You Nurseries in America, with hundreds of thousands of customers. We have 1600 acres of the finest soil in the world, ideal for growing nursery stock.

HELPFUL PLANTING GUIDE *Free!*



With every nursery stock order, we send Free a 24-Page Planting Guide. It tells in a clear, simple way how to plant so that even if you have never done any planting, you can have success. It tells, also, how to prune, water, care for plants over winter, how far apart to plant, etc.

WE PAY POSTAGE

Please note that most items in this catalog are DELIVERED TO YOU, POSTPAID. Some Fruit and Shade Trees are too large to go by parcel post. They are shipped by express, you pay the express charges.

In some orders, there are trees which must go by express and also some stock which would go parcel post. In order to avoid making two separate shipments, we send the entire order by express. For this privilege, we include extra stock which has a greater value than the additional express charges amount to.

AMERICA'S LARGEST DIRECT-TO-YOU NURSERIES

Because we grow and sell direct-to-you more nursery stock than any other nursery, we can sell first quality stock at reasonable prices. Our soil is rated the finest in all America for growing nursery stock. It produces wonderful roots and fine tops. If you have never planted any of our seeds, order some this year. They are guaranteed to grow.

CENTRALLY LOCATED. We are located near the geographical center of the United States, with railroad facilities that enable us to ship promptly in all directions, North, South, East and West.

SALES TAX. The Iowa law requires us to collect a sales tax of 2% on all orders sent to us BY PEOPLE LIVING IN IOWA. Iowa customers will please add this amount to their orders. BUT PEOPLE NOT LIVING IN IOWA DO NOT SEND ANY SALES TAX.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

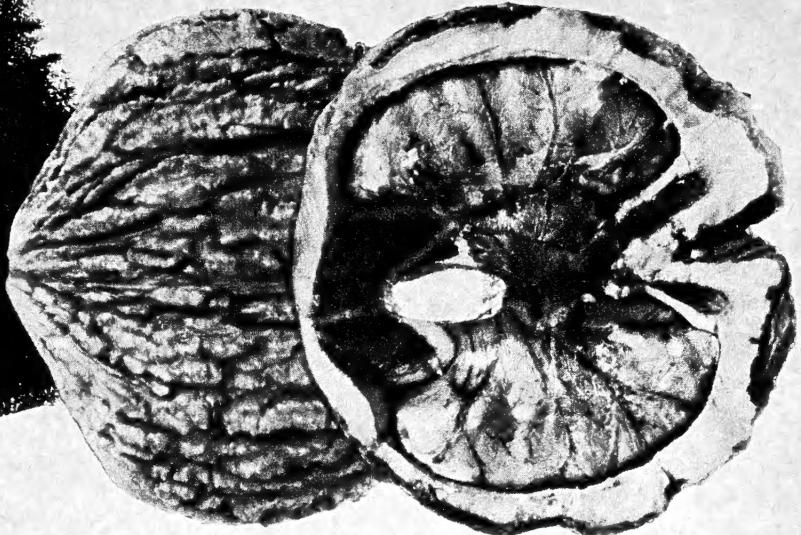
When ordering, please write down the Catalog Number shown by each variety and collection. If you order both Seeds and Nursery Stock, please be sure to PUT YOUR SEED ORDER ON A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER. Write your full name and address on both Seed and Nursery orders.

NURSERY STOCK IS SHIPPED AT PROPER PLANTING TIME

Nursery Stock and Seeds are not shipped together. Seeds are shipped at once. Nursery Stock is shipped at proper planting time. We are equipped so that we can start shipping to southern states early in the year. As the season advances, we keep shipping farther north until in May we are shipping to the most northern states.

Black Walnut

MOST REMARKABLE
OF ALL NUT TREES



The Thomas Black Walnut, Actual Size

THOMAS BLACK WALNUT

N1 When the long cold evenings of winter come, what a pleasure it is to crack some Black Walnuts to eat or for fudge, or for mother. She can use them in so many different ways and what a delicious flavor they add. Everybody likes Black Walnuts, but the common Black Walnut is small and it is hard to get out the meats.

Now you can have an improved grafted Black Walnut, which is giant size with kernels much larger, better flavor and much easier to get out. Thomas is fast growing and produces very large nuts. It is the greatest nut tree of the country. You should plant it because—

1. It bears very young, often second year after planting. A mature tree will produce 15 to 40 bushels of giant size nuts which sell for \$4.00 or more per bushel.

2. The nuts are immense size as pictured above. They crack easily so the meats come out in halves and quarters. A bushel of nuts cracks out 10 to 12 pounds of meats.

3. The nuts are delicious flavor and because they are so large and plump and come out in halves and quarters they sell for 75c or more a pound.

4. It will grow in almost every state in America. It is not particular as to soil but of course will do best in rich soil with plenty of moisture.

5. Plant a tree or two for your own use. If you have room, plant more for profit. You can easily sell the big nuts at high prices. Plant 50 feet apart and 2 or 3 inches deeper than they stood in the nursery.

6. In time the tree will grow large and walnut logs are becoming scarce. If you wished you could sell the trees for lumber at a good price. We doubt, though, if you would do this because the nut crop is so valuable. These are grafted trees and grow rapidly.

PRICES ON THOMAS BLACK WALNUT

	Each	2 for	6 for	12 for
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid....	\$3.75	\$7.00	\$19.50	\$36.00
3 to 4 feet, Not Postpaid....	3.00	5.50	15.00	27.00
2 to 3 feet, Not Postpaid....	2.75	5.00	13.50	24.00
18 to 24 inches, Postpaid.....	2.50	4.50	12.00	21.00

MYERS BLACK WALNUT

N2 This new variety is very highly recommended. Mr. Hirschi who is a practical, experienced horticulturist and one of the best qualified nut experts in America, considers it the best he has ever fruited. It bears young. The nuts are not as large as Thomas but the shell is thinner so that a bushel of Myers cracks out as much and perhaps a little more than the Thomas. The quality is especially rich.

While Thomas is now the most widely planted variety we believe that as Myers becomes better known that it will equal or surpass Thomas. It is making a remarkable record. Especially on thinner ground, Myers is better. These are grafted trees and start bearing young.

	Each	2 for	6 for	12 for
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid....	\$4.00	\$7.50	\$21.00	\$39.00
3 to 4 feet, Not Postpaid....	3.25	6.00	16.50	30.00
2 to 3 feet, Not Postpaid....	3.00	5.50	15.00	27.00
18 to 24 inches, Postpaid.....	2.75	5.00	13.50	24.00

8N3 WALNUT SPECIAL

2 Myers }
2 Thomas } All 4 for \$9.50

2 to 3 Feet, Not Postpaid

Thomas and Myers are both self-fertile but we believe that planting both varieties so they can cross-pollinate will increase the yield.

THOMAS WALNUT SEEDLINGS

N4 These are young trees grown from the nuts of the Thomas Black Walnut. They are far better than trees grown from the ordinary black walnut. Half or more of these trees will produce nuts almost as large as the Thomas. If you have room, plant a grove of these. You will get excellent nuts which sell at good prices and the trees will grow into a valuable grove. Every farm has room somewhere for some of these. They will soon grow into money.

	6 for	12 for	25 for	100 for
2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....	\$3.00	\$5.00	\$9.00	\$25.00
18 to 24 inches, Postpaid.....	2.40	3.85	6.50	16.00
12 to 18 inches, Postpaid.....	1.80	2.85	4.50	12.50

GROW YOUR OWN

Asparagus



Delicious, Tender Fresh From Your Own Garden

If you or your family like Asparagus, plant some this spring. Then in just a year or two, you can commence gathering your own. It will last as long or longer than your house stands. For 6 to 8 weeks you can enjoy all you want and have some to cold pack for winter. And after you once plant it, it costs you absolutely nothing and besides that it requires no care or attention and grows almost everywhere. Of course, remember that the richer the soil, the bigger the tips and more of them.

You know that Asparagus is not only delicious but it contains vitamins A, B, and C and also minerals. Our wonderful Loess soil produces the finest Asparagus plants we have ever seen. We believe our Jumbo plants are the very finest you can get. Planting them saves a year's time. Our Heavy size is equal to many firm's number one grade. Plant Asparagus 18 to 24 inches apart each way. Planting instructions sent with every order.

A14 GENUINE GIANT MARY WASHINGTON

It is extremely tender and stays that way during the season. Delicious flavor. The extra large tips can be cut for 2 months. Rust proof.

Postpaid	Per 12	Per 25	Per 50	Per 100
Jumbo Plants	60c	\$1.00	\$1.85	\$3.50
Heavy Plants	45c	.75	1.35	2.50

A15 NEW PARADISE

A new variety considered the best of all. Extra large tips, many an inch or more through—tender, delicious, finest flavor—produced for many weeks.

Postpaid	Per 12	Per 25	Per 50	Per 100
Jumbo Plants	75c	\$1.25	\$2.25	\$3.95
Heavy Plants	60c	1.00	1.75	2.95

GOOD HEALTH SPECIAL
25 Paradise Asparagus
3 Canada Red Rhubarb
8A22 All 28 for \$2.50 Postpaid

Rhubarb

FRESH FROM YOUR OWN GARDEN!

It is the earliest spring vegetable. Plant 3 to 4 feet apart, covering the crown with 2 inches of soil. Postpaid.

A24 Chipman's Canada Red—This new variety has large stalks that are red from top to bottom, even the flesh is red. It does not lose this rich color in cooking. Juicy and sweetest of all, takes less sugar. Seedless. Skin is so tender you need not peel it. Very productive, you can pull the stalks all spring and summer.

6 for \$3.85, 3 for \$2.25, Each 85c

A16 Red MacDonald—A tremendous producer of giant size stalks from early spring till late summer. Stalks are 18 to 24 inches tall, many half as thick as your wrist. Seedless. It is 2 to 3 times larger than common rhubarb, far more tender, delicious and sweeter. Its bright red skin and tender white flesh makes very attractive and fine tasting sauce and pies.

6 for \$3.00, 3 for \$1.75, Each 65c

A17 Ruby—Stalks are smaller than Canada Red or MacDonald but there are more of them. Skin is red and flesh is red. Very fine flavor, very tender and one of the sweetest of all rhubarb. Very prolific yielder. Some prefer these smaller stalks. They can be used early spring to late summer. The more you use, the more it produces. Seedless.

6 for \$3.00, 3 for \$1.75, Each 65c

Victoria—This is the old fashioned common rhubarb but the three varieties above are so far superior that we have quit growing it. Victoria is grown from seed so it can be sold cheap but the other kinds are grown from root divisions so naturally cost much more to grow. But they are worth far more. Rhubarb lasts a life-time so it is far better to start with the best.

TRIAL OFFER

1 Canada Red	1 MacDonald Red
1 Ruby	

8A28 All 3 for \$1.50 Postpaid

HORSE RADISH

A23 The Bohemian variety which has that crisp, snappy taste yet it is not bitter. Our crown plants will make usable roots the very first year.

7 for \$1.00, 3 for 50c

Postpaid.

LARGE, JUICY
Strawberries

FRESH FROM YOUR
OWN GARDEN

AMBROSIA

100 for \$2.65

50 for \$1.45

25 for 75c

A1 AMBROSIA is one of the finest Strawberries we have ever tasted. It has that delicious, sweet, real strawberry flavor. The sparkling bright red berries are very large and firm, fine for canning, preserves and freezing because they hold their shape. The fruit is easy to pick and clean because it comes on tall stems, strong enough to hold the fruit up off the ground. Very productive, ripens right after Dunlap. Self-pollinating. POSTPAID.

BLAKEMORE

25 for 65c

50 for \$1.15

200 for \$3.00

500 for 6.00

100 for \$2.00

1000 for \$10.00

A4 For preserving, canning and freezing, Blakemore is especially fine because it holds its red color and shape so well. For "company," you put Blakemore on the table. It ripens a few days before Senator Dunlap and is very dependable, producing large crops every year. It stands up well during drought. The berries are large, firm, an attractive red and good quality. It is one of the most widely planted varieties in America. Self-pollinating. POSTPAID.

DUNLAP

25 for 65c

50 for \$1.15

200 for \$3.00

500 for 6.50

100 for \$2.00

A3 We have sold countless millions of this grand strawberry, SENATOR DUNLAP. It is the most widely planted kind in the middle west. Hundreds of thousands of families, every summer, enjoy the fruit. It ripens in midseason and is simply delicious to eat, can, preserve and freeze. It is so dependable, seems like it never fails to produce a good crop. Self-pollinating. POSTPAID.



AMBROSIA SPECIAL

25 Ambrosia
25 Blakemore

25 Dunlap
25 Premier

8A12 All 100 for \$1.95
Postpaid
(Regular Price \$3.05)

PREMIER

A5 This is by far the most popular extra early strawberry. It is our first variety to ripen and is so extremely productive that it continues producing berries for many days. The berries are very large, firm, good quality, rich red color. Because the blooms are very frost-resistant, it is a sure and heavy bearer. Plant some for the first ripe strawberries and for canning and preserves. Self-pollinating. POSTPAID.

100 for \$2.75

25 for \$1.00

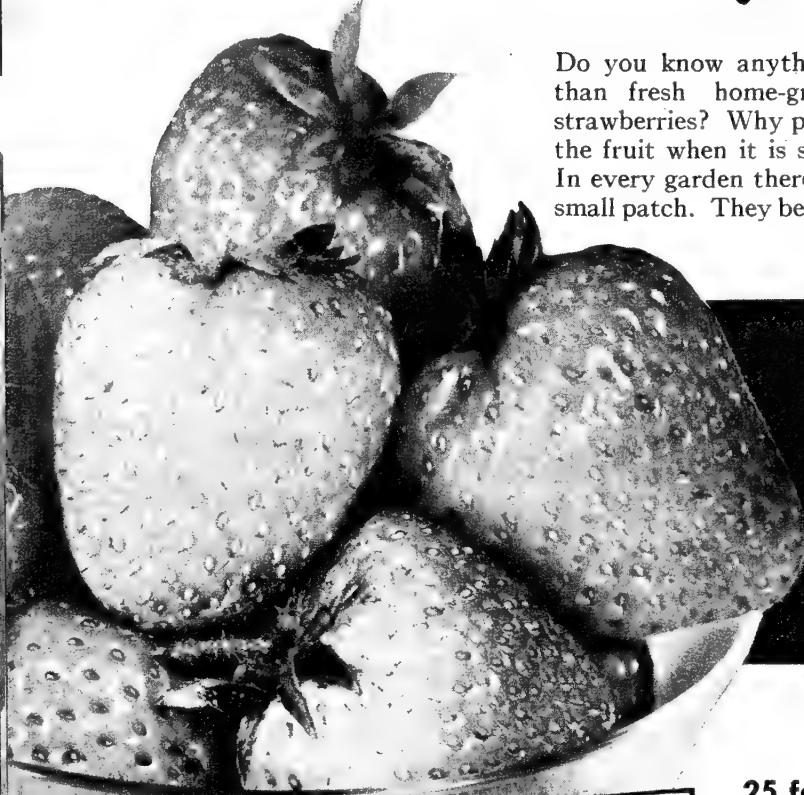
50 for \$1.50

200 for 4.50

1000 for 15.00

8A10 DUNLAP SPECIAL * 50 Dunlap and 50 Blakemore * All 100 for \$1.50 Postpaid

Plant Everbearing strawberries this spring-



Do you know anything that tastes better than fresh home-grown, sweet, luscious strawberries? Why pay such high prices for the fruit when it is so easy to grow them? In every garden there is room for at least a small patch. They bear quickly and produce

high yields for the small space they take. Plant plenty so you have enough to eat fresh, to can, preserve, and for freezing. For home use set plants 24 inches apart each way. For a larger bed, set 18 to 24 inches apart in the row and the rows $3\frac{1}{2}$ feet apart.

INTER-STATE'S GENUINE GIANT GEM *Everbearing Strawberries will bear this Summer and Fall*

100 for \$3.75

25 for \$1.15 50 for \$2.00 200 for \$6.25 1000 for \$23.50

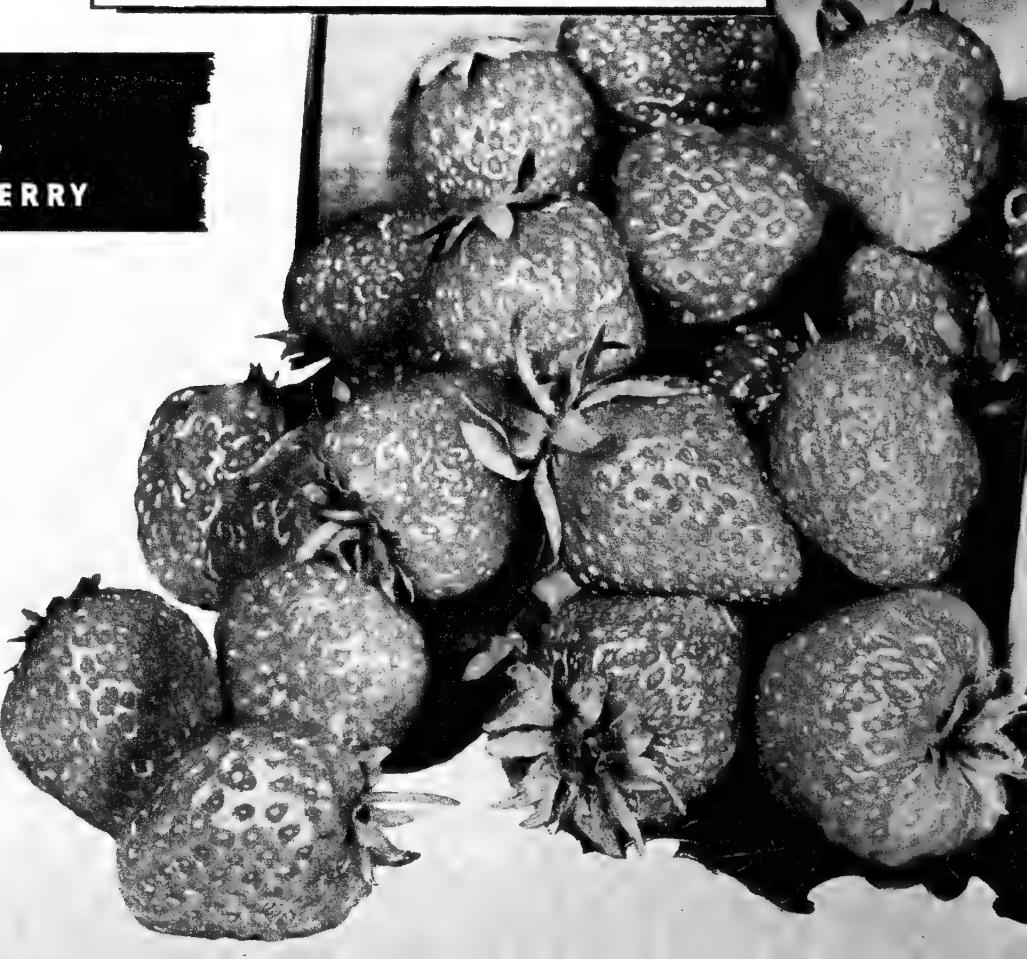
A2 Gem is a very popular everbearing variety because it does so well almost everywhere that strawberries are grown. It is extremely productive. The berries are large, firm, bright red and good quality. They will bear

THIS SUMMER, starting 60 to 90 days after planting and continue until freezing. Next year, you will have a big crop in the spring and fruit also in the summer and fall. Self-pollinating. POSTPAID.

EVERMORE SPECIAL

25 Evermore 25 Gem

8A25 All 50 for \$1.95 Postpaid



Evermore
EVERBEARING STRAWBERRY

100 for \$4.95

25 for \$1.50 50 for \$2.65

A6 This was originated by the Minnesota Fruit Breeding Farm. The berries are large and a red color so bright they glisten as though varnished. Many think they are the sweetest of all Everbearers. It will bear this Summer, starting 60 to 90 days after planting and continue until freezing. Next year it will produce a heavy Spring crop and then besides you will get fruit during the summer and fall. It is such a vigorous grower that in rich soils it makes a lot of new plants. You will get larger, better and actually more fruit if your bed is not too crowded. It is a good plan to pinch off the runners after 8 to 12 new plants have been made. Self-pollinating. POSTPAID.

to eat fresh, can, preserve and for freezing

A7 Streamliner is the sensational new Everbearer which is sweeping the country. We are proud that it has been our privilege to help introduce this fine new strawberry to many, many thousands.

And this popularity is well deserved. The berries have a bright red color, are large, smooth, firm and shapely with a most delicious sweet flavor. It will start bearing this summer, 60 to 90 days after planting and produce right up to severe frosts. It is very productive, the large berries soon filling a bowl. It is self-pollinating so can be planted alone. When each plant has made 8 to 12 new plants then you should pinch off the new runners. When the plants are not too thick and close together, they actually produce better, with larger and finer berries. We have made a special price so that many thousands more can have in their own garden this fine new Everbearer. Remember that in 10 to 12 weeks after planting you will start picking the big red delicious berries. Postpaid.

100 for \$6.00

40 for \$2.45

20 for \$1.25

500 for \$29.50

STREAMLINER

LARGE SIZE

FINE RED COLOR

DELICIOUS FLAVOR

PRODUCTIVE

WILL BEAR THIS SUMMER AND FALL

N E W

Streamliner

EVERBEARING STRAWBERRY

100 for \$6.00

40 for \$2.45 20 for \$1.25

POSTPAID

8A8

STREAMLINER SPECIAL

**20 Streamliner
25 Giant Gem
25 Evermore**

All 70 for only \$2.95

Postpaid



Family Strawberry Patch

**20 Streamliner
25 Evermore
25 Giant Gem
25 Premier
25 Blakemore
25 Dunlap
25 Ambrosia**

**8A9
All 170 Plants
for \$4.35
Postpaid**

**If bought separately,
these 170 plants
would cost you
\$6.95**

Morrison THE

NEW GIANT BLACK RASPBERRY

5 for \$1.10 10 for \$1.95 25 for \$4.00

50 for \$7.50 100 for 14.00

A50 Morrison Black Raspberry is a new variety that has three very distinct points of superiority.

- 1—Berries are immense size (much larger than pictured).
- 2—Very fine flavor, almost seedless.
- 3—The plants are healthy, vigorous growers and produce tremendous crops.

It is also drought resistant. During a dry summer in several sections where Morrison was grown, it matured full crops of perfect berries when other varieties almost failed. It ripens a little later than Cumberland. The berries are immense size, glossy black, so attractive that they sell on sight. The fruit is almost seedless, is firm, very sweet, juicy and most delicious flavor. Extra fine for eating fresh and for sauce, jams and pies. Plant some Morrison this spring, for home or commercial use. When it starts fruiting, you will wish you had planted more. POSTPAID.

NEW RASPBERRY SPECIAL
5 Morrison 5 Indian Summer
8A55 All 10 For \$1.85
10 Morrison 10 Indian Summer
8A56 All 20 For \$3.45
All Postpaid

Indian Summer

THE NEW DOUBLE CROP RED RASPBERRY

THAT BEARS BOTH SPRING AND FALL

5 for \$1.15 10 for \$2.00 25 for \$4.50

50 for \$8.50 100 for 15.75

A44 Indian Summer is a wonderful new red Raspberry that bears two crops each season, a heavy crop on the old canes at the usual time in summer and another crop in the fall on the new canes. The berries are large (much larger than pictured), an attractive red color, fine quality. Delicious eaten fresh. Good for sauce and makes the finest red raspberry jam and preserves you ever tasted. The plants are hardy and very productive. Easy to grow, require but little care. Red Raspberry fruit is expensive to buy. Grow some in your own garden. Ten plants will give you lots of berries and 25 will supply an average family for table use and canning. Plant 3 to 4 feet apart. We send you big, husky 2-year bearing-age plants. **Postpaid.**

*Nothing is so delicious as
Raspberries fresh from your
own garden*

Here are raspberries
at their best

RED RASPBERRIES

There is a delightful flavor in Red Raspberries not found in any other fruit. If you have never grown them you have a treat coming. For pies, shortcakes, sauce, jam, freezing and fruit juice, they are delicious. You know how expensive and difficult it is to buy red raspberry fruit. Set out some plants this spring. Plant them 3 to 4 feet apart in the row and the rows 6 to 7 feet apart. They do well in any ordinary garden soil. Very hardy, they do best in the northern states. Generally not satisfactory in the south.

A45 Giant Latham—Very popular red raspberry. Fruit is large, bright red and delicious, eaten fresh, in sauce, jam, pies or shortcakes. Heavy bearer. We assure you that the 2-year bearing age plants are well worth their slight extra cost. Postpaid.

2-Year Bearing Age Plants.....	5 For \$1.15	10 For \$1.85	25 For \$3.95	100 For \$14.75
1-Year Number One Plants....	1.00	1.65	3.45	12.75



Sodus

A46 Sodus is the heaviest bearer of all raspberries we have ever fruited. It is a cross between black and red raspberries. The color is a purple-red. The plants are very vigorous, healthy, hardy and extremely productive. Especially fine for sauce, jams and freezing. Postpaid.

5 For \$1.15	10 For \$2.00	25 For \$4.25	100 For \$14.75
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Cumberland

BLACK RASPBERRIES

Everybody likes home-grown Black Raspberries. They ripen between strawberries and blackberries, a little before red raspberries. Plant them 3 to 4 feet apart in the row; the rows 6 to 7 feet apart. We send you the best grade number one plants.

A53 Bristol—This new variety is rapidly gaining in popularity as the best mid-season blackcap, both for home and commercial planting. A vigorous grower that produces tremendous crops. The berries are large, jet black, firm, sweet, almost seedless and an unsurpassed flavor. A hardy, healthy grower, does well over a very wide territory, doing well even in sections of the south like Oklahoma.

5 For Postpaid \$1.00	10 For \$1.65	25 For \$3.50	100 For \$12.50
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A51 Cumberland—For many years this has been the most popular black raspberry. A vigorous grower that produces enormous crops. The berries are large, jet black, firm, sweet, almost seedless and have a flavor that can't be beat.

5 For Postpaid 75c	10 For \$1.35	25 For \$2.85	100 For \$9.95
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A52 New Logan—Ripens a week before Cumberland. Bears heavily. Fruit is large and high quality. Hardy, drought resistant and healthy.

5 For Postpaid 85c	10 For \$1.35	25 For \$2.85	100 For \$9.95
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Berries that should be in every garden use them for jellies, jams, sauces and pies

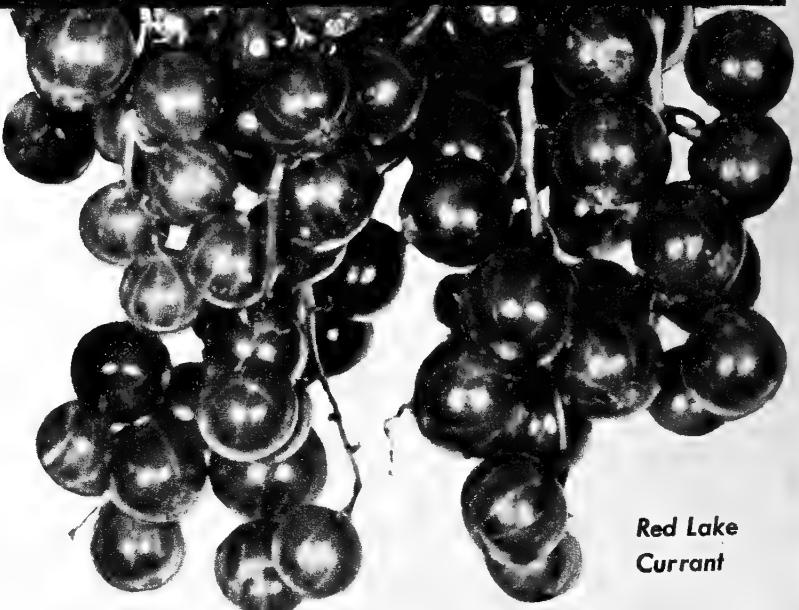
CURRANTS

A60 Red Lake—This new variety is rapidly replacing the older kinds. We think that it is the most productive, the best quality of all currants. The berries are very large, the clusters are long and filled out right to the end. The color is a bright glossy red and makes the most beautiful and finest flavored jelly. Even after fully ripe, they will hang to the bush and not drop off as others do. They grow in ordinary garden soil in all the northern states. Plant them 3 to 4 feet apart. Please read NOTICE BELOW. Heavy 2-Year No. 1 Plants. Postpaid.

6 for \$2.65, 3 for \$1.50, Each 55c

IMPORTANT NOTICE

On account of federal regulations we ship Currants and Gooseberries only to the following states—**Arkansas, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Oklahoma and South Dakota**. If you do not live in these states, please do not order Currants or Gooseberries.



Red Lake
Currant



Pixwell
Gooseberries

GOOSEBERRIES

A100 Pixwell—This new variety is by far the best we have ever grown. It is a tremendous bearer of large, fine quality berries. Moreover they hang down on the underside of the branches so they are very easy to pick. The plant also is not nearly as thorny as other kinds. It bears very young, the next year after planting. The berries are much larger than pictured, averaging better than $\frac{1}{2}$ inch. Color is light green, turning pink when fully ripe. After growing Pixwell, you will not want the other kinds. Thrives in all northern states. Plant 3 to 4 feet apart. Read NOTICE ABOVE.

6 for \$4.25, 3 for \$2.25, Each 80c Postpaid.

JELLY SPECIAL

3 Red Lake Currants

3 Pixwell Gooseberries

8A63 All 6 for \$3.15 Postpaid

BLACKBERRIES

When fully ripened on the bush, few berries are as sweet and delicious as Blackberries. Moreover, they grow most any place, even in very poor soil.

A37 Alfred—Ripens early but bears a long time. Produces an enormous crop of first-quality fruit. Berries are mammoth in size. Color is jet black; flavor sweet and delicious, nearly coreless and seedless. Very hardy. Heavy bearer.

A38 Eldorado—Late. Our most popular Blackberry. The sparkling jet-black berries are large, sweet, delicious and almost coreless. Ripens over a long period and is generally the last berry of the season. Hardy, vigorous and a heavy, regular bearer.

POSTPAID PRICES ON BLACKBERRIES

5 for	10 for	25 for	100 for
80c	\$1.40	\$2.75	\$9.35

Heavy No. 1 Plants.....

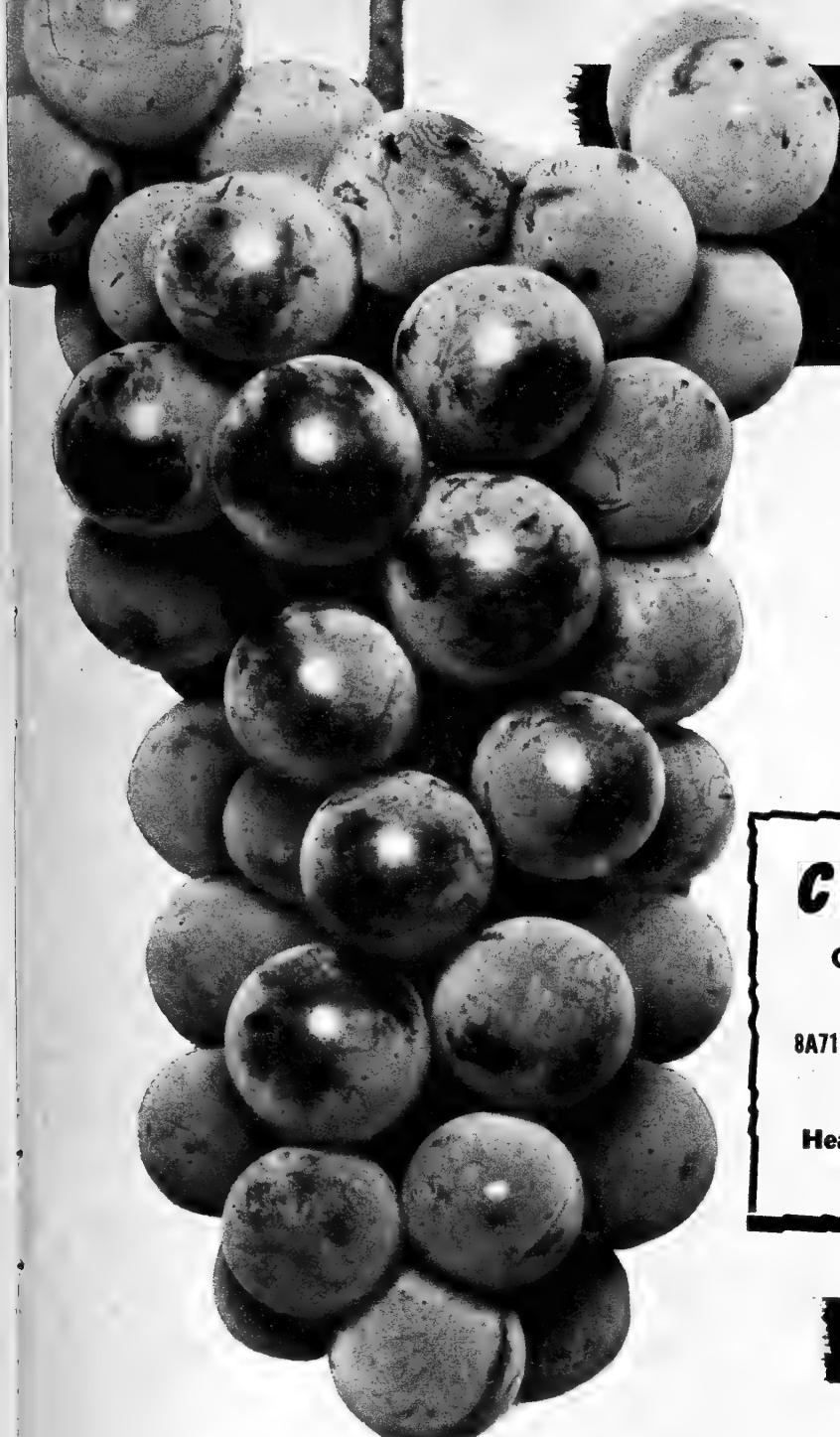
THORNLESS BOYSENBERRY

IMMENSE SIZE • DELICIOUS FLAVOR

HEAVY BEARER • HARDY

A30 Thornless Boysenberry—We have seen berries fully 2 inches long. The fruit ripens over a period of almost 2 months. Eat them fresh for weeks, use them for pies, sauce, preserves and fruit juice. Just like the original Boysenberry but absolutely Thornless. They are almost seedless and a very deep maroon, almost black color when ripe. Plant 8 to 10 feet apart each way. In cold sections it requires winter protection. Postpaid.

Each 30c, 5 for \$1.25, 10 for \$2.25



INTER-STATE'S Grapes

THE ALL-PURPOSE FRUIT
BEARS EVERY YEAR, GOOD FOR JAMS, JELLIES
SAUCE, JUICE AND FINE FOR EATING

One or two dollars' worth of grape vines will supply you with many dollars' worth of fruit for a lifetime. Our big husky 2-year number one vines are the finest grown in America. They bear young. You can plant along the lot line or fence, 8 feet apart. Planting and pruning instructions sent with each order.

CONCORD

GREATEST OF ALL
GRAPES

8A71 4 for \$1.00

Heavy 2-Year, No. 1 Vines
Postpaid

A70 **Concord**—For more than 50 years it has outsold all other grapes. Bears heavily every year. Large bunches of blue-black grapes, tender, sweet, juicy, delicious.

CONCORD POSTPAID PRICES

Heavy 2-Year No. 1 Vines

Each	5 for	10 for	25 for	100 for
35c	\$1.25	\$2.25	\$5.25	\$16.75

Standard 2-Year No. 2 Vines
30c \$1.00 \$1.85 \$4.25 \$12.75

NEW EXTRA CHOICE GRAPES

These have all fruited at Hamburg a number of years and every one is hardy and bears heavily. You will find these extra fine, extra sweet and extra delicious flavor.

A73 **Caco**—Great big red grapes, rich and sugary, with a luscious flavor. A tremendous grower, it bears young and heavily every year. It is our best red grape.

A75 **Portland**—The first grape to ripen, a few days before Fredonia. The fruit is large, handsome amber-white, with a most delicious, rich, spicy flavor. Vigorous, hardy and productive.

A76 **Sheridan**—A new large blue-black grape that ripens a week or so after Concord. We consider this the finest quality of all blue-black grapes, very sweet and delicious.

POSTPAID PRICES ON 3 ABOVE NEW GRAPES

	Each	5 for	10 for	25 for
Heavy 2-Year No. 1 Vines.....	50c	\$2.25	\$3.95	\$8.95
Standard 2-Year No. 2 Vines	40c	\$1.85	\$3.45	\$7.95

FINE GRAPES

A74 **Fredonia**—This new variety RIPENS 3 WEEKS BEFORE CONCORD. Large bunches of blue-black grapes of very high quality. A vigorous grower, hardy and very productive.

A68 **Niagara**—Large, white fruit of delicious flavor.

POSTPAID PRICES ON FREDONIA AND NIAGARA GRAPES

	Each	5 for	10 for	25 for
Heavy 2-Year No. 1 Vines....	40c	\$1.75	\$2.95	\$5.95
Standard 2-Year No. 2 Vines	30c	\$1.25	\$2.25	\$4.95

ALL SEASON COLLECTION

An assortment of our finest grapes, every one hardy, productive and selected so you will have early, medium and late ripening—giving you fresh grapes for many weeks. Our 2-year vines generally start bearing next year after planting. This is a very special offer. Postpaid.

2 Concord 2 Fredonia 2 Niagara

8A77 All 6 for \$1.00

Red, White and Blue Collection

1 Caco
1 Fredonia
1 Portland

8A78
All 3 for \$1.15 Postpaid
Heavy 2-Year No. 1 Vines

INTER-STATE'S OUTSTANDING Plum VARIETIES!

BEAR YOUNG - BEAR HEAVILY - DELICIOUS

Scarcely any fruit has been improved as much in the past few years as has the plum. Bears younger and more heavily. The fruit is larger, with a wonderful flavor. We offer below the finest, outstanding varieties. Plant Plums 12 to 15 feet apart, in a group so they can cross-pollinate, thus greatly increasing the crop.

**PLUM PRICES Your Choice, except Green
Gage and Stanley**

	Each	3 for	6 for
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid.....	\$2.00	\$5.75	\$10.95
4 to 5 feet, Not postpaid.....	1.60	4.50	8.35
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid.....	1.40	3.75	6.95

F102 New Damson—This is an improved strain over the ordinary Damson. The blue plums are medium size of finest quality. Free-stone. A heavy regular bearer. Ripens in September. Hardy to northern Iowa.

F104 New Pipestone—A new Plum from Minnesota. The fruit is immense size, the largest plum we have ever grown. It has a very attractive color, red with a golden blush. The flesh is yellow, juicy and excellent quality. Fine for eating and cooking. Bears very young and heavily, ripening in August. Very hardy.

F105 New Red Coat—This also comes from Minnesota and is one of our best plums for canning. It is perfectly free-stone, the stone falling right out when you cut the fruit in half. The fruit is large, prune-shaped, a bright red color, good quality especially fine for canning. A healthy vigorous grower that bears young and every year. Ripens in August. Very hardy.

F107 Superior—This fine plum should be widely planted. The fruit is large, attractive red color and a rich sweet flavor. It bears very heavily, every year. Ripens in early August. Very hardy. Fine for eating and canning. A good pollinizer for other plums.

F108 Toka—Originated by Prof. N. E. Hansen, the famous plant genius from South Dakota, this is undoubtedly the richest flavored of all plums—a sweet, somewhat spicy and tangy flavor that is unequalled. The fruit is quite large, a beautiful apricot color with very firm, yellow flesh. Perfect free-stone. Fine for eating and canning. Ripens in August. Very hardy. It is also a good pollinizer for other plums.

A P R I C O T S

Ripening right after the cherries and before the peaches, apricots are one of the most delicious fruits when picked fully ripe. Plant 20 feet apart. See back page for Golden Giant apricot.

F23 Perfection—The fruit is large, beautiful and delicious. It ripens evenly and is a good keeper. Flesh is firm so that even if picked nearly ripe, it can be shipped. Hardy, vigorous grower, heavy bearer.

F26 Superb—This fine variety originated in Kansas and has been largely planted in the middle west. Hardy, productive. Fruit is medium large, orange-yellow, flesh firm, high quality. Fine for eating, sauce, preserves and pies.

PRICES PERFECTION AND SUPERB APRICOTS

5 to 6 feet, not postpaid.....	Each	\$2.00
4 to 5 feet, not postpaid.....	Each	1.75
3 to 4 feet, postpaid.....	Each	1.40



F103 Green Gage—The sweetest eating and canning plum, it is just full of sweet, sugary flavor. Large, greenish-yellow fruits, freely produced. Free-stone. Ripens in September. It is not suited to extremely cold sections like northern Iowa.

	Each	3 for	6 for
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid.....	\$1.70	\$4.85	\$9.35
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid.....	1.50	4.15	7.75

F106 Stanley—A new prune-type plum from New York that is rapidly becoming the most popular of all plums. Large, dark-blue, prune-shaped fruits. The rich yellow flesh is firm, sweet and delicious flavor. Exceptionally fine for eating fresh and canning. A heavy, regular bearer. Ripens in September. Free-stone. Hardy up to central Iowa.

	Each	3 for	6 for
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid.....	\$1.70	\$4.85	\$9.35
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid.....	1.50	4.15	7.75

INTER-STATE'S
PLUM CLUSTER

Fine varieties that will supply plums for weeks. Some will start bearing second year after planting.

will start bearing
1 New Damson

1 Green Gage

1 Pinestone

ALL 5 for \$6.95 4 to 5 Ft. Trees
Not Postpaid

**8F101 ALL 5 for \$5.65 3 to 4 Ft. Trees
Postpaid**

FREE—With each collection, either size, we will include without extra charge, 1 Stanley tree about 3 feet tall.

Pears

**DELICIOUS - EASY TO GROW - DO WELL PLANTED
IN SOD - RIGHT IN YOUR OWN YARD!**

Pears grow in any ordinary soil, even in sod, right in your yard. Plant 20 feet apart. Two trees, alike or different varieties, planted near each other so they can cross-pollinate, will both produce more heavily than if planted alone. To tell when Pears are ready to pick, place the palm of your hand under a Pear, raise it gently and if the stem snaps off easily from the limb, they are ready to pick. Then put them in a cool, dark place to ripen and you will have Pears of the highest quality.

F90 Bartlett—Our most popular summer Pear. Fruit is large, yellow with blush, juicy, sweet, high quality.

F93 Bierschmidt—A new summer Pear ripening a few days after Bartlett. Originating in Northern Iowa, it is hardier than Bartlett. Good bearer. Highest quality. Blight resistant.

F92 Kieffer—The most widely planted winter Pear. A healthy, hardy and vigorous grower which bears young, heavily and regularly. The fruit is large and fills countless jars every season. Pick the fruit when it starts to color and let it ripen in a cool, dark place. Then it is delicious. Blight resistant.

F95 Patten—Originating in Iowa, this is a very hardy Pear which can be planted in cold sections like northern Iowa, Minnesota etc. Ripens in August. The fruit is large, yellow with blush, juicy, sweet, luscious flavor. Good bearer. Very blight resistant.

F91 Douglas—A fall pear that bears very young and regularly. Blight resistant. Poor quality.

F96 Seckel—Called the Sugar Pear because of its sweet, delicious flavor. Fruit is not large but the highest quality. Ripens in late summer. Bears young and heavily. Blight resistant.

F97 Waite—A new winter pear, better than Kieffer.

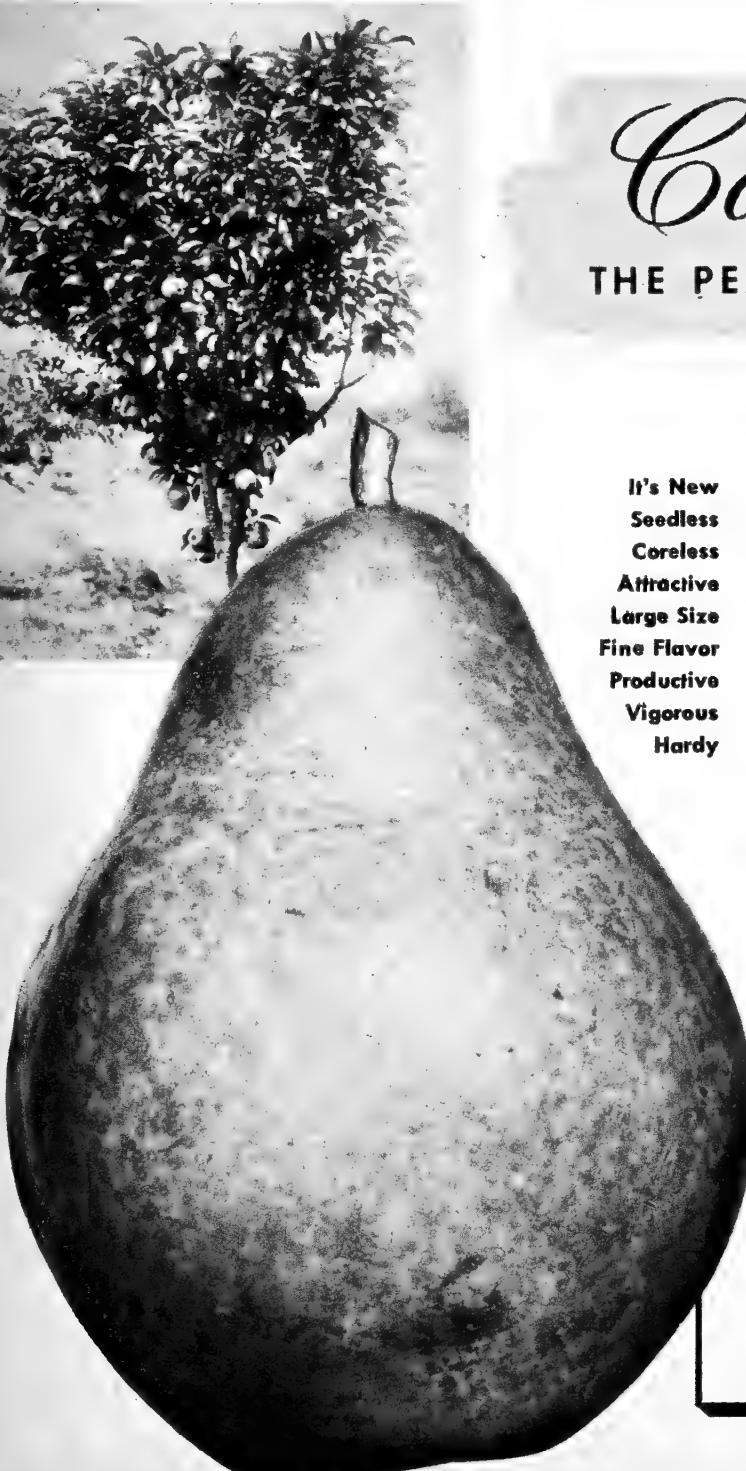
**PRICES ON ALL PEARS EXCEPT COPE'S
Alike or Assorted, Your Choice**

	Each	3 for	6 for
5 to 7 feet, Not Postpaid	\$1.90	\$5.45	\$10.50
4 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid	1.60	4.50	8.50
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid	1.30	3.60	6.85

Cope's SEEDLESS Pear

THE PEAR THAT HAS NO SEEDS, NO CORE

It's New
Seedless
Coreless
Attractive
Large Size
Fine Flavor
Productive
Vigorous
Hardy



F88 Cope's New Seedless Pear—A New Fruit Sensation. A Pear That Has No Seeds and No Core. In addition, it has everything else that you could ask for in a pear; great producer, excellent quality, size, beauty, vigor and hardiness. The fruit is large, a beautiful golden-yellow with a blush. The flesh is tender and sweet, juicy and delicious. Fine to eat fresh and ideal for canning as it has no seeds, no core.

The "Coreless" and "Seedless" features alone will appeal to those who eat them fresh or can them.

Bears Young, Does Not Blight

The original tree began bearing when 3 years old, and at 5 years of age it produced 3 bushels of perfect fruit. The trees in the nursery rows sometimes bear fruit. Other Pears right next to Cope's Seedless have blighted but it has never shown any signs of blight. Its early bearing qualities and resistance to blight place this variety among the leading Pears.

A Delicious Summer Pear

It ripens about 10 days after Bartlett and ripens evenly without any softening at the center. It is a self-pollinator but will produce more fruit if two Cope's trees are planted near each other. If there are other varieties of Pears close, so they cross-pollinate, then Cope's may have a few small seeds.

PRICES ON COPE'S SEEDLESS PEAR

5 to 7 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each \$2.25
4 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each 2.00
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid.....	Each 1.75

Plant Summer, Fall and Winter Apples

THEN YOU CAN HAVE FRESH APPLES, ALMOST THE YEAR 'ROUND

PRICES ON APPLE TREES

Your Choice of Varieties, Alike or Assorted

	Each	3 For	6 For	12 For
6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid....	\$1.35	\$3.75	\$6.90	\$12.60
5 to 7 feet, Not Postpaid....	1.15	3.15	5.75	9.95
4 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid....	.90	2.45	4.25	7.25
3 to 5 feet, Postpaid70	1.95	3.45	5.75

Why not plant an apple tree in your lawn? It will give you shade, flowers and fruit. We have a very fine lot of Apple Trees this season. The 6 to 8 foot trees are exceptionally choice. The other sizes will also please you. All are 2-year branched, well-rooted trees which will soon start bearing. ORCHARDISTS WHO WANT LARGER QUANTITIES OF TREES SHOULD WRITE US FOR SPECIAL PRICES

SUMMER APPLES

F31 **Anoka**—Originated by Prof. N. E. Hansen of the South Dakota Experiment Station. Generally bears next year after planting. Fruit is yellow streaked red. Ripens in August but can be used a month earlier.

F32 **Beacon**—This new apple originated at the Minnesota Fruit Experiment Station and is much better than Duchess. The fruit is large, a solid bright red of very fine quality. It ripens in August but can be used weeks before. It is very hardy and extremely productive. Fine for eating, pies, sauce, etc. Bears very young.

F35 **Early Red Bird**—This fine apple ripens a week before Yellow Transparent. It is the best real early red apple we know. The fruit is large, bright red, good quality for both eating and cooking. Hardy and a heavy bearer.

F33 **Red June**—Everybody likes this early red apple.

F37 **Yellow Transparent**—The favorite early yellow apple. Ripens in July. Bears young, heavily and every year. Fruit is medium size, tender, juicy. Fine flavor for eating and cooking.

FALL APPLES

F34 **Maiden Blush**—An old favorite. Yellow with blush, mild flavor, large size. Ripens just before Wealthy.

F42 **Wealthy**—By far the most popular fall apple. It ripens in September but can be used weeks earlier. Fruit is large, red striped, with tender, juicy flesh of fine quality. Very hardy. Bears young and heavily.

CRAB APPLES

F70 **Dolgo**—Every year just full of bright red fruit which makes the finest tasting and best looking jelly. Tree itself does not grow too large and is attractive enough to plant in your lawn as a flowering crab. Very fine.

F71 **Whitney**—You can eat it fresh just like an apple. It is not tart. The fruit is medium size, red striped, fine quality. Makes wonderful apple butter and jelly. Bears young and heavily.

FARM HOME COLLECTION

Nine of our most popular varieties, giving you fresh apples almost the year 'round, starting in early summer with Early Red Bird and ending late in winter with Winesap.

A Whole Orchard Costs Less Than 3 Bushels of Apples

- 1 Early Red Bird
- 1 Yellow Transparent
- 1 Beacon
- 1 Wealthy
- 1 Yellow Delicious
- 1 Solid Red Delicious
- 1 New Bright Red Jonathan
- 1 Winesap
- 1 Whitney

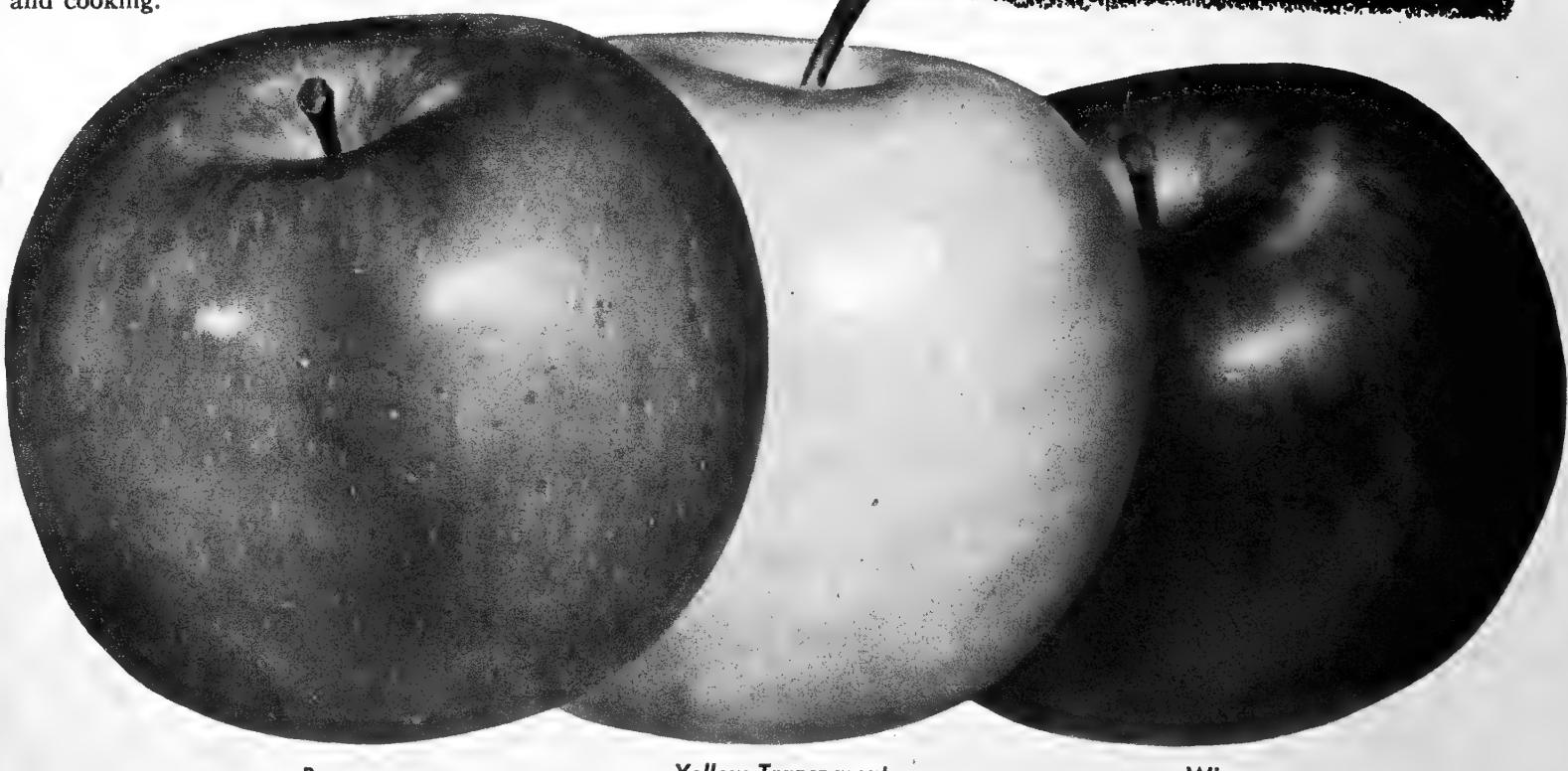
8F40 Big 5 to 7 Ft. Trees

All 9 for \$6.35 Not Post-paid

8F41 Fine 3 to 5 Ft. Trees

All 9 for \$4.25, Postpaid

FREE—With each collection, either size, 1 Fine Cherry Tree, our choice.



Beacon

Yellow Transparent

Winesap

WINTER APPLES

F45 Cortland—Large red apple, high quality. Can be eaten right off the tree.

F48 Grimes Golden—For many, many years this has been a very popular yellow apple. The fruit is large and highest quality.

F47 Haralson—Large, good, solid red apple, keeps all winter. Heavy bearer. Very hardy, good for northern Iowa, Minnesota, Dakotas.

F51 Jonathan—Almost everybody knows it and likes it. A fine bright red apple of highest quality with crisp, yet tender flesh. Juicy and full of snap.

F52 Jonathan, New Bright Red—This is like the apple above but it colors a couple of weeks or so earlier and has a richer color. One of America's greatest apples.

F53 McIntosh, Solid Red—This large red apple is especially popular in the east, and also in sections of other states. Flesh Snow-white of very high quality.

F56 Red Delicious—This is the original Delicious which originated in Iowa and has been planted from coast to coast for its superb quality and mild juicy flavor.

F57 Red Rome Beauty—Large red apple that many people like.

F60 Solid Red Delicious—Considered by many to be the finest of all red apples. It bears younger, keeps longer and the fruit colors up several weeks earlier than the common Red Delicious. The fruit is large, solid red and has a delicious flavor, unequalled by any other apple.

F58 Secor—Originated at the Iowa Experiment Station. Large red apple of very highest quality. Productive. Many like it better than Jonathan.

F63 Turley—Very large, fine red apple that we think is better than Stayman.

F64 Winesap—The most popular long keeping winter apple. This is an improved strain. It has better color, larger size and will keep right through winter into spring. Good to eat and for cooking.

SOLID RED DELICIOUS,
America's Favorite

F66 Yellow Delicious—This is now the most popular yellow apple in all America. It bears young and heavily, the fruit is large, juicy and no apple has a finer flavor. Some people who cannot digest other apples, eat this without any trouble. It is ready for eating in late fall.

F67 York Imperial—A large red apple, a little lop-sided but keeps all winter. A heavy bearer and good quality.

JONATHAN
The Midwest's
Great Apple



YELLOW DELICIOUS
A Golden Treat

APPLE PIE SPECIAL

An ideal selection for those who do not have much room. Each one is the best of its season, our most popular varieties.

- 1 **Yellow Transparent**, summer.
- 1 **Wealthy**, fall.
- 1 **Yellow Delicious**, late fall.
- 1 **Solid Red Delicious**, early winter
- 1 **New Bright Red Jonathan**, winter

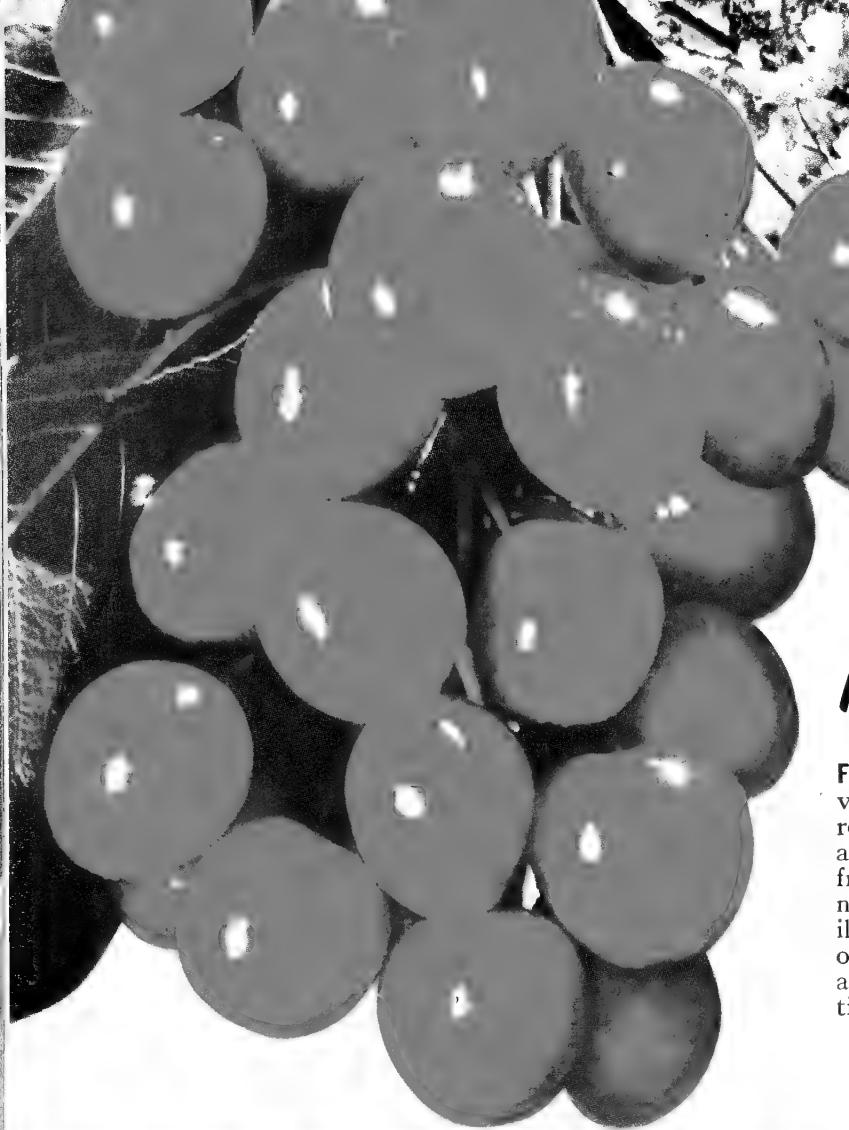
**8F68 Our finest 5 to 7 Ft.
Trees, Not Postpaid**

All 5 for \$4.50

**8F69 Good 3 to 5 Ft. Trees,
Postpaid**

All 5 for \$2.95

FREE—1 Beacon Apple Tree free with each collection; either size.



New McClain Cherry

F82 We believe this amazing McClain cherry is the finest new variety introduced in many years. The fruit is large, a rich red color, and delicious flavor. It ripens about the same time as Montmorency. For eating fresh, for pies, sauce, preserves and freezing, it is unsurpassed. It bears very young, generally the very next year after planting. Moreover it bears regularly and very heavily. The fruit is easy to pick because the tree does not grow as tall as other cherries. Wherever it has been tried, the reports are enthusiastic. Will grow right in your lawn, giving you lovely flowers, attractive foliage and delicious, healthful fruit for many years.

3½ to 4 feet, Not Postpaid. Each \$2.00, 3 for \$5.75
3 to 3½ feet, Postpaid. . . . Each 1.75, 3 for 5.00
2 to 3 feet, Postpaid. Each 1.50, 3 for 4.25

6 in 1 Apple Tree 6 DIFFERENT APPLES ON 1 TREE



F20 This 6-in-1 Apple Tree has six different kinds of apples, all on one tree. They are six of our best, most popular kinds, giving you fruit from early summer well into the winter.

Yellow Transparent, for summer.

Wealthy, for fall.

Yellow Delicious, for late fall.

Solid Red Delicious, for early winter.

Bright Red Jonathan, for the holidays.

Winesap, for winter.

Yellow Transparent and Yellow Delicious start bearing young, followed by Wealthy and soon all are bearing, all on the same tree. This is the one tree for those who want several kinds of apples, but do not have much ground available. With its flowers, rich green foliage and fruit, it is attractive enough to plant in your front yard.

2-Year Trees, 4 to 6 feet tall.

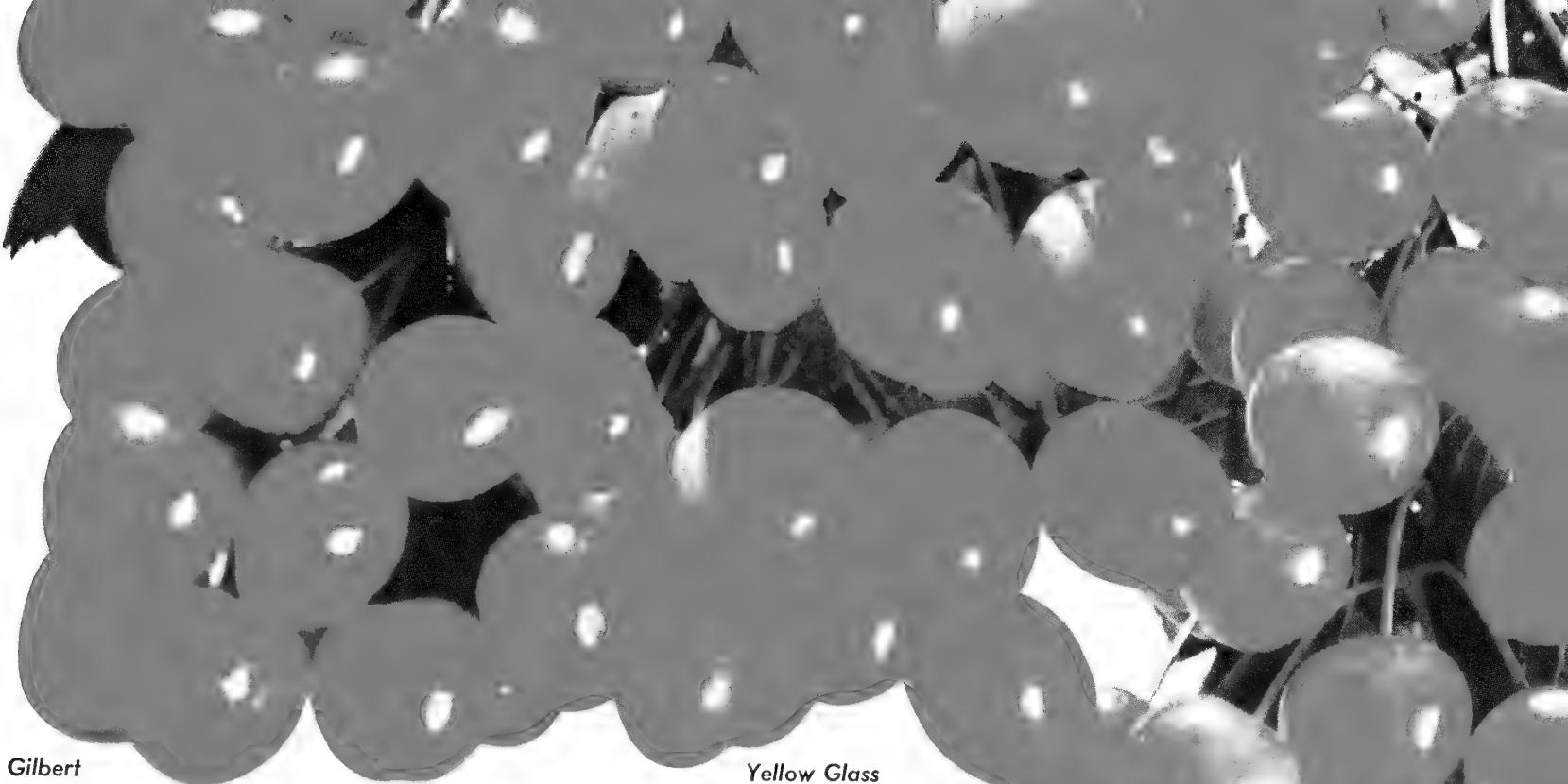
Each \$2.95, 2 for \$5.50

Not Postpaid

8F21 **6-in-1**
SPECIAL
1 6-in-1 Apple
1 New McClain Cherry
Our Largest Size Trees
Both for **\$4.25**
Not Postpaid

PICK APPLES OFF THIS ONE TREE FROM SUMMER UNTIL LATE FALL

A "Grown-to-Order" Apple Tree for the Home Owner with Limited Space.



Gilbert
Montmorency

Yellow Glass

Famous Inter-State CHERRIES BEAR YOUNG AND BEAR EVERY YEAR

You can plant Cherries right in your lawn. The flowers are lovely in the spring, the foliage and tree itself are attractive and then in the early summer you have the healthful, delicious fruit. Cherries are our surest-to-bear tree fruit and they commence bearing very young. Plant them 15 to 20 feet apart.

F83 Black Giant—Considered the hardest Black Sweet Cherry.

4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid..... Each \$2.00

F79 Early Richmond (May Cherry)—This is the popular early pie cherry of the nation. The fruit is bright red, juicy and delicious. Tree is a strong grower, bears heavily and starts bearing young.

Each 3 for 6 for
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid.. \$2.00 \$5.75 \$11.00
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid.. 1.65 4.65 8.75
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid..... 1.40 4.00 7.75

F80 English Morello—This is latest Cherry to ripen. Fruit is good size, almost black when fully ripe, sprightly acid. Very heavy and young bearer.

Each 3 for 6 for
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid.. \$2.00 \$5.75 \$11.00
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid.. 1.65 4.65 8.75
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid..... 1.40 4.00 7.75

F77 Kansas Sweet—This Cherry comes from Southern Kansas. It is the only red sweet cherry we know of that will bear in the middle west and south to Texas. The fruit is large, dark red, firm, sweet with a delicious flavor. The tree itself is handsome enough to plant in your front yard—good foliage, fine shape, fragrant flowers.

Each 3 for 6 for
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid.. \$2.00 \$5.75 \$11.00
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid..... 1.65 4.75 9.25

F81 Gilbert Montmorency—For many years the Montmorency has been the most popular of all Cherries. This is a special strain from a single tree, the best of many thousands of Montmorency trees, in the great cherry district at Sturgeon Bay, Wisconsin. Ripens about ten days after Early Richmond. The red fruit is large, firm, fine flavor, the best of all Cherries for canning. The tree is a rather short grower so the fruit can be easily picked.

	Each	3 for	6 for
5 to 6 feet , Not Postpaid..	\$2.00	\$5.75	\$11.00
4 to 5 feet , Not Postpaid..	1.65	4.65	8.75
3 to 4 feet , Postpaid.....	1.40	4.00	7.75

F78 YELLOW GLASS—This is the hardest of all sweet cherries, stands 15 degrees below zero. Large, golden fruit with sweet, delicious flavor. Fine for eating fresh and canning. Ripens right after Montmorency.

	Each	3 for	6 for
5 to 6 feet , Not Postpaid..	\$2.25	\$6.45	\$12.00
4 to 5 feet , Not Postpaid..	2.00	5.55	10.50
3 to 4 feet , Postpaid.....	1.75	4.95	9.25

CHERRY SPECIAL

1 Early Richmond

1 Gilbert Montmorency

1 New McClain

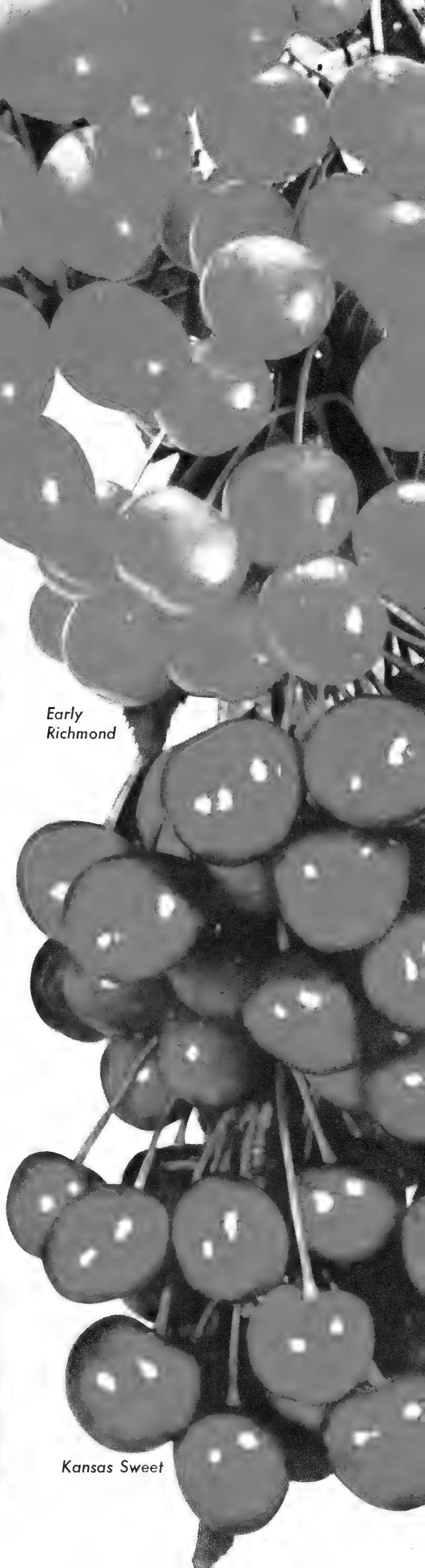
1 Yellow Glass

8F85 All 4 for \$6.50 Not Postpaid

Our largest, finest trees

8F86 All 4 for \$5.00

3 to 4 ft. trees, Postpaid



Kansas Sweet

INTER-STATE *Peaches* BEAR YOUNG AND HEAVILY -



Polly

Elberta

Red Haven

Sungold

PICTURED PEACH SPECIAL

8F3 1 each of all 4 Pictured. Fine
4 to 6 ft. trees, Not Postpaid, for **\$5.25**

8F4 1 each of all 4 pictured. Choice
3 to 4 ft. trees, Postpaid, for **\$4.25**

TASTE BEST WHEN PICKED RIPE FROM YOUR OWN TREES

The peaches are listed in their order of ripening. Mayflower ripens here in early July—Elberta the last of August. Peaches need but little room, easy to grow. Our Iowa-grown, budded trees are hardy and bear young. Plant them 15 to 20 feet apart.

F12 Mayflower—First to ripen yet almost frost-proof as it blossoms so late. Red all over, fair quality, good size. Semi-cling.

F14 Red Haven—This new variety is rapidly becoming the leading real early yellow peach. The fruit is large, almost a solid red like a Jonathan apple. The yellow flesh is firm, sweetly delicious, high quality. Free-stone. A hardy, vigorous grower and very productive.

F8 Golden Jubilee—Free-stone. Popular early peach, orange-yellow with blush. Yellow flesh of excellent quality. Heavy bearer. Hardy.

F5 Champion—Free-stone. Large creamy-white with red cheek. Flesh is white, juicy, sweet and highest quality. A heavy, regular bearer. Very hardy. Excepting Sungold and Polly, this is probably the hardest peach we grow.

F9 Hale Haven—Free-stone. This fine new peach is rapidly overtaking Elberta. A heavy producer of large, yellow peaches of high quality. Hardy.

F10 J. H. Hale—Free-stone. Very large, golden yellow, flushed red with fuzzless skin. Flesh is yellow, solid, tender, very high quality. On the market it always brings a higher price. Plant with other varieties for pollination to increase yield.

F7 Elberta—This grand peach fills millions of fruit jars every year.

F13 Elberta Cling—Ripens about one week after Elberta. This is a fine, delicious, high quality, yellow, firm, clingstone peach.

PRICES ON ALL PEACHES (Except SUNGOLD and POLLY)

Your Choice of Varieties, Alike or Assorted

	Each	3 for	6 for	12 for
6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid.....	\$1.85	\$5.40	\$10.50	\$20.40
5 to 7 feet, Not Postpaid.....	1.65	4.80	9.30	18.00
4 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid.....	1.30	3.75	7.15	13.75
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid.....	1.00	2.75	5.15	9.15
2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....	.60	1.65	3.00	5.40

PEACH SPECIAL

One each of all these 8 varieties, also one Polly and one Sungold, 10 trees in all, giving you fruit July to September. These big 5 to 7 ft. trees (except Sungold is 4 to 5 ft.) often start bearing year after planting.
8F18

All 10 for \$13.50 Not Postpaid (\$16.35 value)

Good 3 to 4 ft. trees that will quickly produce a lot of fruit for only a few dollars.
8F19

All 10 for \$8.75 Postpaid

ALL SEASON PEACH COLLECTION

Fresh, tree-ripened Peaches for many weeks—and plenty to can—for the cost of 2 bushels of peaches. Big 5 to 7 ft. trees worth \$10.15 (Sungold is 4 to 5 ft.)

1 Red Haven
1 Champion
1 J. H. Hale
8F16

1 Elberta
1 Polly
1 Sungold

All 6 for \$8.65 Not Postpaid

Good 3 to 4 ft. Trees

8F17 All 6 for \$5.45 Postpaid

Sungold

HARDY YELLOW PEACH

Sold Only by Inter-State Nurseries

Very Large, Free-Stone, High Quality, Attractive

F1 The fruit of Sungold is very large, perfect free-stone, beautifully blushed. The flesh is firm, golden yellow, full of juice and the richest, sweetest flavor. Exceptionally fine quality. Very fine for canning. A commercial peach because it colors early and is a fine shipper. Ripens several days before Elberta. A heavy, regular bearer. The tree is well-branched, stocky and short, making it easy to pick the fruit. We could fill many pages with letters of praise about Sungold. Many of them show that it is definitely a hardier Peach. Tests at the Iowa Experimental Station also prove this. Sungold is a superior peach because of its Size, Beautiful Color, High Quality, Big Production and Hardiness. Self-pollinating, it produces more fruit. It lives and bears where Elberta dies and is far hardier than J. H. Hale.

PRICES ON SUNGOLD PEACHES

	Each	3 for	6 for	12 for
5 to 6 feet. Not Postpaid.....	\$2.25	\$6.60	\$12.90	\$25.20
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid....	2.00	5.85	11.40	22.20
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid.....	1.75	5.10	9.90	19.20
2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....	1.50	4.35	8.40	16.20

Polly

FINEST WHITE PEACH

INTER-STATE'S ORIGINAL STRAIN

Hardy, Delicious, Free-Stone, Heavy Bearer

F2 The fruit is large, blushed, free-stone, ripens just before Elberta. The flesh is white, juicy but firm, the richest, most delicious flavor. All who have tasted it agree that POLLY IS THE FINEST FLAVORED PEACH THEY EVER ATE. When canned it stays firm and makes the most luscious peach sauce and preserves. Polly is not a good shipper but is best for home use and local markets. It bears young and is a heavy, regular bearer. Polly was introduced by us in the spring of 1934. It was originated by the Iowa Experiment Station. Thoroughly tested for many years, standing cold of 15 to 20 below zero. Polly is not a peach just for the North. It is a great peach for other sections as well. The fruit has such a wonderful flavor and is produced abundantly.

PRICES ON POLLY PEACHES

	Each	3 for	6 for	12 for
6 to 8 feet. Not Postpaid.....	\$2.00	\$5.85	\$11.40	\$22.20
5 to 7 feet, Not Postpaid.....	1.75	5.10	9.90	19.20
4 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid.....	1.50	4.35	8.40	16.20
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid.....	1.25	3.60	6.90	13.20

Use Inter-State Vines to soften harsh lines



Clematis Jackmani

INTER-STATE'S CLEMATIS

Clematis are the most colorful and many people think them the most beautiful of all flowering vines. On a porch, pergola, trellis or fence, they are truly a gorgeous sight, so many lovely flowers of purple, white and red, all summer. A location shaded from the hot afternoon sun is ideal. Our plants will bloom this summer. POSTPAID.

V2 Henryi—A chastely pure white flower of unrivaled charm. Immense size, often 7 inches across, and produced all summer. **Each 75c.**

V3 Jackmani—When you see this plant, covered with hundreds of purple blooms, you will know why it is called the Queen of all Vines. The flowers are large, 4 to 6 inches across and produced freely all summer. The most colorful and attractive of all. **Each 75c.**

V4 Mme. Ed. Andre—Its striking, velvety red flowers are produced profusely. **Each 75c.**

CLEMATIS SPECIAL

1 Jackmani	8V1	All 3 for \$2.00
1 Mme. Ed. Andre		
1 Henryi		

Postpaid

INTER-STATE'S HONEYSUCKLE

V11 Honeysuckle, Purple (Japonica Purpurea)—Produces pink and yellow, very fragrant flowers all summer. The foliage is a rich glossy green in spring and summer and turns a striking purple in the fall and hangs on into winter. In the south, it stays on all winter. This is a most unusual plant. It can be used as vine or shrub. When it has a trellis or pergola or porch or fence, something over which it can climb, then it makes a fine vine. You can also plant it with the shrubs, the canes grow upwards then droop gracefully like a waterfall, making a plant 3 to 4 feet tall and 4 to 6 feet wide. It is different and very attractive.

2-Year Plants, **Each 65c, 2 for \$1.00** Postpaid

V9 Summer King Honeysuckle (Heckrottii)—From June until freezing, this magnificent plant is covered with showy clusters of large, fragrant flowers, rose-flame outside and gold inside. The attractive foliage, a rich blue-green, makes a perfect background for the brilliant flowers. Hardy, healthy, easy-to-grow, it thrives North, South, East and West, in full sun or partial shade. It can be used in so many places—porch, pergola, fence, fine for covering bank or cave, and especially beautiful for a trellis. OUR PLANTS WILL BLOOM THIS SUMMER. Postpaid.

Each 75c, 2 for \$1.25

HONEYSUCKLE SPECIAL

2 Purple	2 Summer King
8V7	All 4 for \$1.95 Postpaid



--- add charm and beauty to your home!

SILVER LACE VINE→

V17 The Fastest Growing Hardy Vine. Often grows 10 to 12 feet the very first season. From mid-summer to late fall, completely covered with thousands of small white flowers. The foliage is glossy green. Easy to grow, it is ideal for porch, pergola, trailing over a fence, stumps and banks.

Each 60c, 2 for \$1.00 Postpaid



Wisteria

WHITE WISTERIA

V24 This is something you have wanted and has been very hard to get. Just imagine a vigorous wisteria vine just full of clusters of snow-white fragrant flowers. It is superb. Our strong 2-Year grafted plants start blooming young.

Each \$1.50, 2 for \$2.50 Postpaid

PINK WISTERIA

V14 How would you like to have a wisteria with pink flowers? All right, here it is, with lovely fragrant pink flowers. It is still new and rare. We have only 2500. Strong 2-Year grafted plants.

Each \$1.00, 2 for \$1.75 Postpaid

PURPLE WISTERIA

V15 This is a special strain with large clusters of the most beautiful lilac-purple flowers, far better than the ordinary Wisteria. Blooms so freely in May-June, the fragrant flowers are a grand sight. These plants are grafted which means they start blooming when very young. Easy to grow, from coast to coast, it lasts for generations becoming more beautiful each passing year. Strong 2-Year Plants.

Each \$1.00, 2 for \$1.75 Postpaid

BLUE WISTERIA

V25 This is another color you have wanted in Wisterias, a real blue. It is a vigorous grower with clusters of fragrant blue flowers all over. You will love it. Strong 2-Year grafted plants that soon start blooming.

Each \$1.25, 2 for \$2.00 Postpaid

WISTERIA SPECIAL

1 Purple	1 White
1 Pink	1 Blue

8V12 All 4 for \$3.75 Postpaid



Silver Lace Vine

V18 **Boston Ivy**—The vine of romance—that adds its distinctive beauty to both the simple clap-board cottage and the stone mansion. It clings so closely to the walls, they seem to be shingled with leaves. The foliage colors a charming maroon in the fall. Clings without support to even the smoothest surface. Prefers a north or east side. This is a vine generally seen clinging to buildings. Our 2-year No. 1 vines are far superior to smaller plants. Postpaid.

Each 60c, 2 for \$1.00



NEW SURE-TO-FRUIT BITTERSWEET

V19 The ordinary Bittersweet often fails to fruit. Here is one that always fruits. Even one vine planted alone will bear fruit, but if you plant 2 or 3 close together so they can cross-pollinate, then they will all bear a great deal more. Grows rapidly in any kind of soil, in sun or partial shade. Blooms in June followed by clusters of attractive orange-red berries. Makes fine late fall and winter bouquets. Postpaid.

Extra Heavy, 3 Year Plants, 2 for \$1.60, Each 85c

Heavy, 2 Year Plants, 2 for \$1.25, Each 70c

Inter-State's Flowering Shrubs

MAKE YOUR HOUSE A HOME. HAVE BLOOMS FROM SPRING TO FROST



SPIREA VAN HOUTTE, Bridal Wreath

\$139 This shrub has done more than any other to beautify America. It makes good everywhere, a solid mass of white in the spring. Use it for foundation planting, single specimens, in groups, for screens, hedging, in fact any place you want a hardy flowering shrub 5 to 6 feet tall. Grows in sun or part shade, good soil or poor. POSTPAID.

	Each	3 for	6 for
12 to 18 inches.....	35c	\$.90	\$1.65
18 to 24 inches.....	45c	1.15	2.00
2 to 3 feet.....	60c	1.75	3.35

\$135 Spirea, Froebeli—Makes a rounded, bushy shrub about 3½ feet tall. Foliage is purple-red in the spring and again in the fall. Rosy-pink flowers in June. Excellent for foundation and porch planting. Grows in sun or part shade, ordinary soil. Hardy. POSTPAID.

12 to 18 inches.....	Each 40c, 3 for \$1.15
18 to 24 inches.....	Each 50c, 3 for 1.35
2 to 3 feet.....	Each 65c, 3 for 1.75

\$44 Golden Bell (Forsythia Spectabilis)—The first shrub to bloom in early spring, its bright yellow flowers light up the yard. Grows 5 to 6 feet tall, in sun or part shade, ordinary soil. Light green bark in winter. Hardy. POSTPAID.

12 to 18 inches.....	Each 40c, 3 for \$1.15
18 to 24 inches.....	Each 50c, 3 for 1.40
2 to 3 feet.....	Each 65c, 3 for 1.75

\$6 Barberry, Green Leaf (Thunberg's, Japanese)—Good for border and low foundation planting. Makes a very dense, rounded bush 3 feet tall. Grows in sun or part shade, ordinary soil. Foliage colors bronzy purple-red in fall with bright red berries almost all winter. Hardy. POSTPAID.

12 to 18 inches.....	Each 40c, 3 for \$1.00
18 to 24 inches.....	Each 50c, 3 for 1.25
2 to 3 feet.....	Each 65c, 3 for 1.65

\$7 Barberry, Red Leaf—Has lustrous purple-red foliage all season with red berries almost all winter. Makes a dense compact shrub 3 feet tall. Plant in full sunlight. Hardy. POSTPAID.

12 to 18 inches.....	Each 50c, 3 for \$1.25
18 to 24 inches.....	Each 65c, 3 for 1.75

\$51 Honeysuckle, Zabeli—This is better than common Tartarian Honeysuckle. Grows 6 to 8 feet tall with good foliage, red flowers followed by orange and red berries, liked by the birds. One of the best medium-tall shrubs. Grows in sun or part shade, ordinary soil. Hardy. POSTPAID.

12 to 18 inches.....	Each 40c, 3 for \$1.15
18 to 24 inches.....	Each 50c, 3 for 1.35

RED SPIREA (Anthony Waterer)

\$137 Red Spirea (Anthony Waterer)—Our most popular low-growing shrub, planted all over America. Makes a neat, rounded bush 2 to 3 feet tall with rosy-red flowers profusely in the spring and scattering all summer. Grows in sun or part shade, any ordinary soil. There are places in almost every yard for some of these. Hardy. POSTPAID.

12 to 18 inches.....	Each 50c, 3 for \$1.25
18 to 24 inches.....	Each 65c, 3 for 1.65
2 to 3 feet.....	Each 85c, 3 for 2.35





Hills of Snow Hydrangea FOR THAT SHADY SPOT

S59 This is a grand shrub for shady places. From June to August it is covered with large heads of pure white, like huge snowballs. Large, attractive heart-shaped leaves. Perfectly hardy, thrives everywhere except the southern states. Grows 3 to 4 feet tall. POSTPAID.

Each \$.80, 3 for \$2.00
Each .90, 3 for 2.35
Each 1.00, 3 for 2.50

S60 Hydrangea P.G.—This grows in sun but prefers partial shade, does well even on north side of house. Giant cone-shaped flowers are white at first, then turn pink and bronze. When cut, they last for weeks inside. Grows 4 to 6 feet tall, blooming from mid-summer to frost. POSTPAID.

12 to 18 inches.....	Each \$.70
18 to 24 inches.....	Each .85
2 to 3 feet.....	Each 1.10

HYDRANGEA SPECIAL

1 Blue Hydrangea
1 Oak Leaf Hydrangea

8S58 Both for \$1.95 Postpaid

PINK and BLUE HYDRANGEA

S55 This variety, Domoti, is the hardiest blue hydrangea we know. The flower heads are immense and last for weeks. In acid soil the color is blue. In ordinary soil, it is pink. If you want blue flowers, mix your soil half and half with acid peat moss (see page 33). Watering twice a month during the growing season with a tablespoon of aluminum sulphate in each gallon water deepens the blue color. In northern states we advise giving winter protection like roses. Before severe freezing, mound up dirt 10 to 12 inches high around the shrub. It grows 3 to 4 feet tall and just as wide. Prefers partial shade. Whether blue or pink, the flowers are superb.

2 Year, each \$2.00 Postpaid

1 Year, each \$1.50 Postpaid

S57 Oak Leaf Hydrangea—An unusual shrub that is a joy to behold. In June it has panicles of white flowers often a foot long. The foliage resembles oak leaves and is attractive all season, especially so in the fall when it colors a glorious rich crimson. Makes a large spreading bush 5 to 6 feet tall and 8 to 10 feet wide at maturity. Grows in sun or partial shade. POSTPAID.

12 to 18 inches.....	Each \$.75
18 to 24 inches.....	Each 1.00

S143 Tamarix, Hispida—A fine shrub for screen and background. If not pruned it grows 10 to 15 feet tall, 6 to 8 feet wide. Grows in sun or shade, in dry or wet places, in good or poor soil. Profuse bright pink flowers in June-July and at intervals all summer. The fine feather foliage is an attractive silvery-blue color. If trimmed it makes an excellent hedge. POSTPAID.

12 to 18 inches.....	Each 40c, 3 for \$1.15
18 to 24 inches.....	Each 50c, 3 for 1.35
2 to 3 feet.....	Each 65c, 3 for 1.75



Weigela, Feeri

Weigela Feeri

S151 Weigela, Feeri—A new shrub that for weeks in late spring and early summer is covered with the most beautiful sparkling pink flowers. It will grow 6 feet or so tall and is hardy to 15 degrees below zero. Colder than that part of the top may be injured. New and very scarce. If you saw one in bloom, you would surely want it. POSTPAID.

18 to 24 inches..... **Each \$1.25**

S2 Pink Flowering Almond—This lovely shrub blooms real early, even before its leaves are out. Small double pink flowers resemble roses and completely cover every branch, every twig. Makes a rounded bush 3 to 4 feet tall. Grown from coast to coast, very hardy. Our plants are own-root so will not sucker. POSTPAID.

12 to 18 inches..... **Each 50c, 3 for \$1.25**

18 to 24 inches..... **Each 70c, 3 for 1.85**

2 to 3 feet..... **Each 85c, 3 for 2.25**

\$152 FEERI SPECIAL - 1 Weigela, Feeri - 1 Mock Orange, Beautiful Star, 18 to 24 inches, Both for \$2.00 Postpaid

S86 Mock Orange, Beautiful Star (Belle Etoile)—Many think this the finest and most fragrant Mock Orange. The 2-inch flowers are star-shaped and pure white except when first opening there is a slight purple tinge deep in the throat. Makes a neat, graceful bush about 5 feet tall, blooming in late spring and early summer. Grows in sun or part shade. Hardy to 15 degrees below zero. Colder than that, part of the tops will be injured. Plant one, we believe you will like it greatly. It is new and scarce. POSTPAID.

12 to 18 inches.....	\$.75, 3 for \$1.85
18 to 24 inches.....	1.00, 3 for 2.50
2 to 3 feet.....	1.25, 3 for 3.00



ROSE OF SHARON

Rose of Sharon Single

S101 Rose of Sharon, Double Flowered—An excellent tall growing shrub (8 to 10 feet) with double flowers continuously July to severe frosts. It is not hardy in northern Iowa, Minnesota, Dakotas etc. Will bloom this summer. POSTPAID.

Your Choice of These Colors

White	White with red eye	Pink
Red		Purple

18 to 24 inches..... **Each 40c, 3 for \$1.10**



S102 Rose of Sharon, Single Flowered—These have large, beautiful single flowers from July to frosts. Generally grows only 5 to 6 feet tall. They are not hardy in extremely cold sections. They will bloom this summer. POSTPAID.

Your Choice of These 3 Colors—

Red	White	Blue
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12 to 18 inches..... **Each 50c, 3 for \$1.25**

EUONYMUS

Burning Bush

S32 Euonymus (ALATUS COMPACTUS)—This is not a new shrub yet it is so rare that few people have ever seen it. There is no shrub which will draw more attention. Has yellow flowers in May-June followed by red fruits. In the fall the leaves turn such a brilliant color, coppery-crimson tinged rose, that this shrub will be the center of attention. It is far more attractive and colorful than pictured here. It has an unusual corky bark. Thrives in partial shade or full sun. Is perfectly hardy, makes a compact, bushy plant 4 to 5 feet tall and just as wide. It is not

particular as to soil, growing over a very wide territory. A shrub that is ornamental and attracts attention spring, summer, fall and winter. Postpaid.

18 to 24 inches,

Each \$1.75

12 to 18 inches,

Each \$1.50



Euonymus, Burning Bush



Weigela, Vanicek

←Weigela, Vanicek

S150 We have found this new Weigela entirely hardy, standing 20 degrees below zero without injury. It is the finest new hardy shrub we have ever tested. Makes a shapely rounded bush 5 to 6 feet tall and almost as wide with excellent foliage. In May-June it is completely covered with the beautiful rose-red flowers. After this big display, the plant makes new growth and in a few weeks commences to bloom again and produces some blooms right up to frost. Planted this spring, it will bloom for you this summer and fall. Postpaid.

18 to 24 inches **Each \$2.00**

12 to 18 inches **Each 1.50**

Royal Red

White King

Empire Blue

Summer Lilacs

Four new Buddleias, each the finest of its color, and all blooming profusely and continuously from early summer to frost. No other shrub can compare with them for freedom of bloom. They make a compact bush, 4 feet or so tall. The roots are hardy, the tops die down in winter, then come up again even more vigorously next spring. The lovely fragrant flowers are beautiful in the garden and fine for cutting. All Postpaid.

S11 Empire Blue (Pat. No. 557)—Finest blue. **Each 75c**

S12 Purple Glory A true Royal Purple **Each 75c**

S14 Royal Red (Pat. No. 556)—Best red..... **Each 75c**

S15 White King Glistening white..... **Each 75c**

8S18 1 Each of all 4 for \$2.50

8S17 SUMMER LILAC SPECIAL

1 Royal Red
1 Empire Blue
1 White King

{ All 3 for \$2.00
Postpaid





Flowering Hopa Crab

Flowering Hopa Crab

T1 Our most popular, low-growing, ornamental tree. Beautiful in bloom, beautiful in foliage, beautiful in fruit. In the spring, it is completely covered with the fragrant, bright pink flowers. From mid-summer till severe freezing, the clusters of small, red crab apples gleam brightly along the branches. This fruit makes very fine jelly. In the spring, the foliage is a rich maroon. Perfectly hardy, easy to grow, thriving in any soil.

6 to 8 feet, Specimen Trees, Not Postpaid.... **Each \$1.85**
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid..... **Each \$1.50, 2 for \$2.65**
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid..... **Each 1.25, 2 for 2.25**

HOPA SPECIAL

1 Hopa, 5 to 6 feet 1 Vossi, 5 to 6 feet
8T26 Both for **\$3.65** Not Postpaid.

SPRING BEAUTY

SPECIAL

1 Hopa, 5 to 6 feet
1 Vossi, 5 to 6 feet
1 Magnolia, 18 to 24 inches

8T4 All **3 for \$5.95**
Not Postpaid

Purple Fringe SMOKE TREE

S41 This makes a magnificent large shrub, 10 to 12 feet tall, which is covered all summer with flowers like a cloud of purple smoke. It has very distinctive foliage which colors beautifully in the fall. This is a very unusual shrub. Grows in all sections. Postpaid.

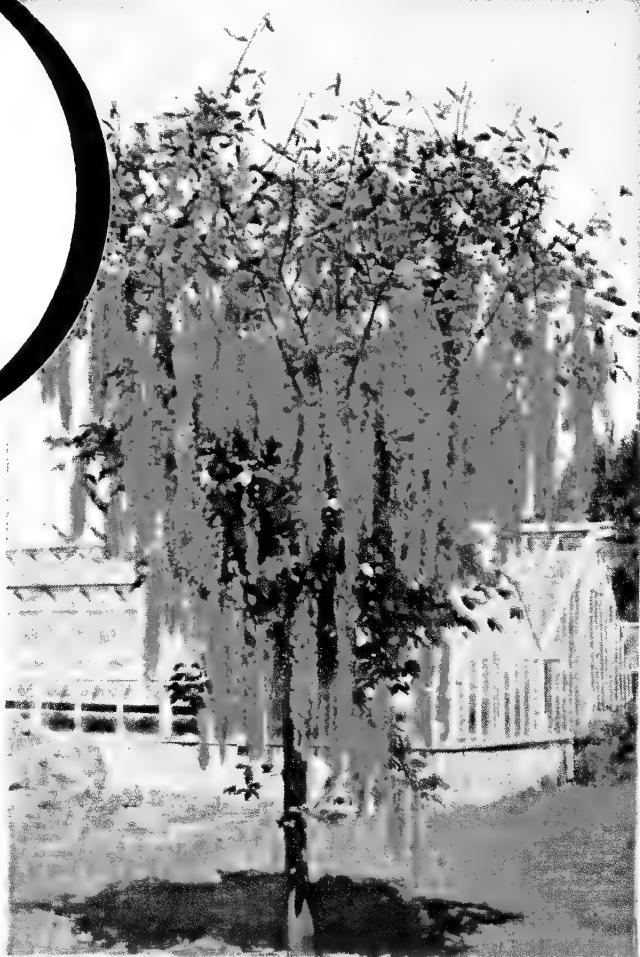
18 to 24 inches.... **Each 1.50**
12 to 18 inches.... **Each 1.00**



Purple Fringe, Smoke Tree

VOSSI SPECIAL

1 Vossi, 5 to 6 feet
1 Hopa, 5 to 6 feet
1 Smoke Tree, 12-18 in.
8T30
All **3 for \$4.45**
Not Postpaid



Golden Chain Tree VOSSI

T2 One of the rarest and most beautiful low growing trees. In the spring, it is completely filled with golden flowers, in graceful clusters, 12 to 18 inches long. It is hardy to 10 below zero. Plant where it will get protection from hot summer winds. This tree in full bloom is a sight that will stop every one who passes and makes your yard the center of attraction.

6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid... **Each \$3.00**
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid... **Each 2.75**
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid... **Each 2.50**

Azalea Mollis IMPORTED FROM HOLLAND

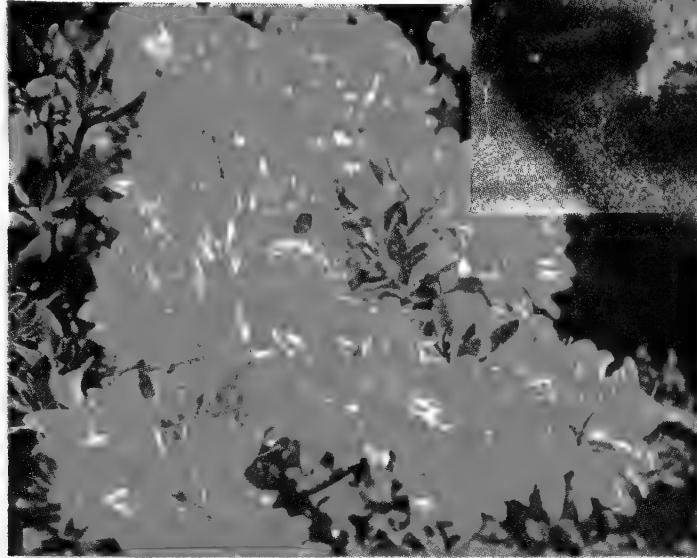
We are very fortunate in being able to import from Holland some fine Azaleas. These are not only a superior strain but you have your choice of four vivid colors. The plants are a foot tall, branched and will have a few flowers this spring. They grow 3 to 4 feet tall and 3 to 4 feet wide. Bloom in May and June, the striking flowers completely covering the entire bush after a few years. Prefers partial shade and a slightly acid soil so a mulch of Peat Moss is beneficial (see page 33 for Peat Moss).



AZALEA SPECIAL

1 Orange
1 Red
1 Salmon
1 Yellow

8S4 All 4
for **\$6.75**
Postpaid



Stands 10 below zero without injury. Adds a touch of color no other shrub can give. Postpaid.

S20 Orange Azalea **S22 Salmon Azalea**
S21 Red Azalea **S23 Yellow Azalea**

Each \$2.00, 2 for \$3.50

Crape Myrtle Blooms Midsummer to Frost

Crape Myrtle, the south's most beautiful shrub, can now be grown much farther north. We have secured a strain which is hardier. In northern states, grow it just like Everblooming Roses, giving winter protection by mounding up dirt before cold weather comes. It blooms on new growth so it does not matter if the old top is entirely killed. The flowers have such lovely, clear colors with a soft crepe-like texture. We have priced them reasonably so all can enjoy this wonderful shrub. They will bloom this summer.

Hardy Pink



POSTPAID PRICES ON CRAPE MYRTLE

S26 Hardy Pink—Apple-blossom pink. . . . Each 60c
S27 Hardy Purple—Beautiful purple Each 60c
S28 Hardy Red—Glowing rich red. Each 60c

CRAPE MYRTLE SPECIAL

1 Hardy Pink
1 Hardy Purple
1 Hardy Red } 8S31
All 3 for \$1.50
Postpaid

*Hardy
Purple*

*Hardy
Red*

Flowering Magnolia

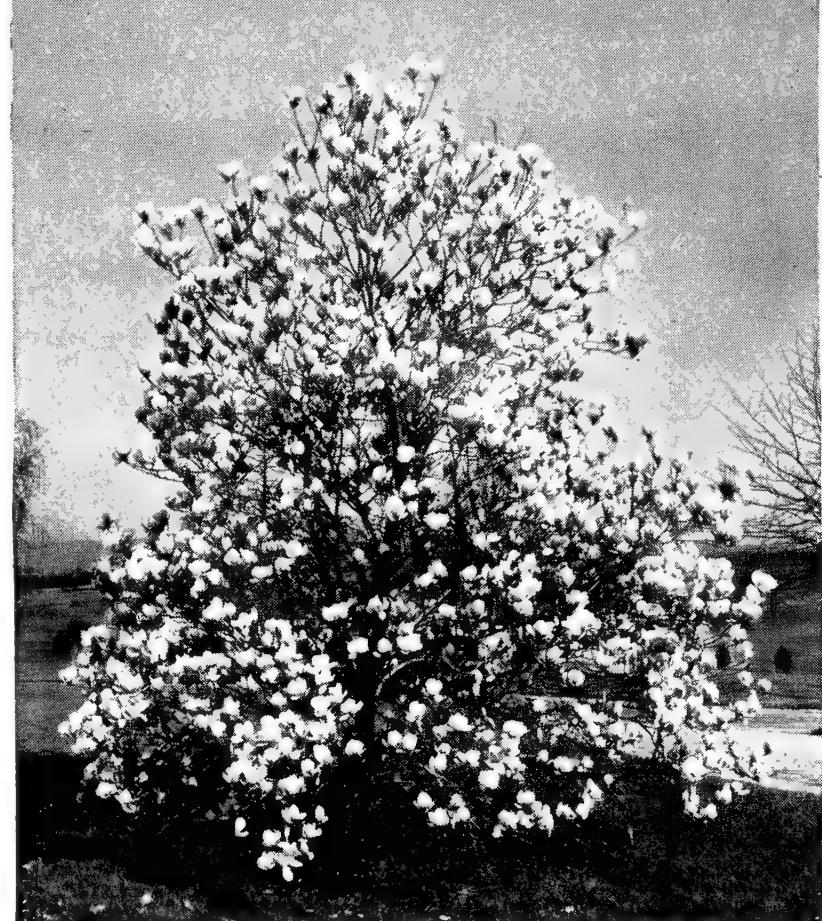


MAGNOLIA SPECIAL

1 Magnolia, 18 to 24 inches
1 Astilbe, Fanal

8T19 Both for \$3.85 Postpaid

Astilbe, Fanal



T18 Magnolia, Soulangeana—This is the most popular hardy Magnolia. One of the first trees to bloom, the delightfully fragrant flowers appear before the leaves. They are pink in the bud and white when fully open. The blossoms are large, often 8 inches across. The foliage itself is attractive, a rich, waxy green. The tree seldom grows more than 10 feet tall and starts blooming before it is 3 feet tall. It is a strikingly beautiful, low-growing, flowering tree for the lawn.

2 to 3 feet, Postpaid **Each \$4.25**
18 to 24 inches, Postpaid **Each 3.50**

ASTILBE, FANAL

S1 Astilbe Fanal is a plant that really should be listed with the perennials but most people plant it in the shrub border. It can be planted either with the shrubs or perennials. It is hardy but the top dies down over winter like a perennial and in the spring new growth comes from the roots. It likes good soil with ample moisture and partial shade. Does well on the north side. We assure you that it is far more beautiful than pictured. The foliage itself is attractive. The flowers are simply exquisite, a lively rich crimson on spikes a foot or so tall. Blooms in May and June. Makes a wonderful border plant. Can be potted in the fall for winter bloom indoors, although it is hardy outdoors.

Each 85c, 3 for \$2.15 Postpaid

VIBURNUM CARLESI

S145 This grand shrub is generally called the Pink Snowball. In the spring it is completely covered, from top to bottom, with blooms so fragrant they perfume the yard. The flowers are a light pink on the outside and the inside is snowy white. It makes a nicely shaped bush, five to six feet tall and just as wide, with branches right down to the ground. The deep green foliage colors a bronzy-red in the fall. It is planted from coast to coast.

12 to 18 inches Postpaid **Each \$2.00**

S8 Beauty Bush (Kolkwitzia)—This is another very fine, long-lived shrub. In the spring, the graceful arching branches are completely covered with lovely pink blossoms. The bush is very shapely and attractive. Hardy, it grows 6 to 8 feet tall and grows even in rather poor soil. Rather slow to come into blooming, but after 3 years it will be a beauty spot in your garden. Use it in group plantings, as a specimen and for an untrimmed flowering hedge or screen, it is superb.

2 to 3 feet, Postpaid **Each \$1.25**
18 to 24 inches, Postpaid **Each 1.00**

Winterberry EUONYMUS PATENS



Winterberry Stays Green All Winter

\$155 This is one of the most attractive of all shrubs. The leaves are lustrous glossy green and stay on all winter . . . Thrives in sun or partial shade. Does fine on north side of house. Makes a shapely bush 4 to 5 feet tall with red berries which hang on a long time. Fine for foundation planting and around the porch. Also it stands out in a general planting of shrubs. It makes a wonderful hedge that can be sheared to any desired height. As a hedge plant 18 to 24 inches apart. You can well picture to yourself how beautiful such a hedge would be, with well-branched, bushy plants and green foliage all through the winter. It does fine all through the south and eastern states, also Ohio, Pennsylvania, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, southern Iowa, southeast Nebraska and all Kansas except northwest section. If you now have the ordinary shrubs, plant some of these. You will like it and everybody who see it, will ask you for the name of it.

	Each	3 for	6 for	12 for
2 to 3 feet, postpaid.....	\$1.00	\$2.85	\$5.40	\$9.60
18 to 24 inches, postpaid.....	.85	2.40	4.50	7.80
12 to 18 inches, postpaid.....	.70	1.95	3.60	6.60

Fragrant, Colorful French Lilacs

PLANT EARLY THIS SPRING—WILL BLOOM NEXT SPRING

They bloom very young, just a year or two after planting. Grow 6 to 8 feet tall. These are so fine that many cities are making French Lilacs the city-wide shrub.

Standard Varieties

S64 Bleautre	S68 M. C. Perier
Large panicles of lovely blue.	Free-blooming, creamy white.
S61 Charles X	S69 Michael Buchner
Profuse bloomer, wine-red.	Lovely lilac-colored flowers.
S67 Ludwig Spaeth	S83 Waldeck Rousseau
Very popular, rich purple.	Very full trusses of rosy-pink.

YOUR CHOICE OF ABOVE 6 LILACS, POSTPAID

18 to 24 inches.....	Each \$1.25, 2 for \$2.25
12 to 18 inches.....	Each .90, 2 for 1.55

Below we list four of the newer varieties. These are extra fine and will be your pride and joy.

S71 Miss Ellen Willmott—Immense compact panicles, creamy white at first, then pure white.

S72 Monge—A deep very rich ruby-red. The finest of this color.

S73 President Lincoln—Universally considered the finest clear Wedgwood-blue. It is exquisite.

S74 Victor Lemoine—Mr. Lemoine created most of the French Lilacs and he named this for himself. It is one of the world's greatest, a beautiful pink overlaid lavender.

YOUR CHOICE OF ABOVE 4 LILACS, POSTPAID

18 to 24 inches, Each \$1.50	12 to 18 inches, Each 1.15
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**8S76 One Each Above 4 Lilacs \$4.75
18 to 24 inches, for**

SPRING LILAC SPECIAL

1 Red 1 Pink 1 Blue 1 White

8S78 18 to 24 inches All 4 for \$3.95

8S77 12 to 18 inches All 4 for \$2.75



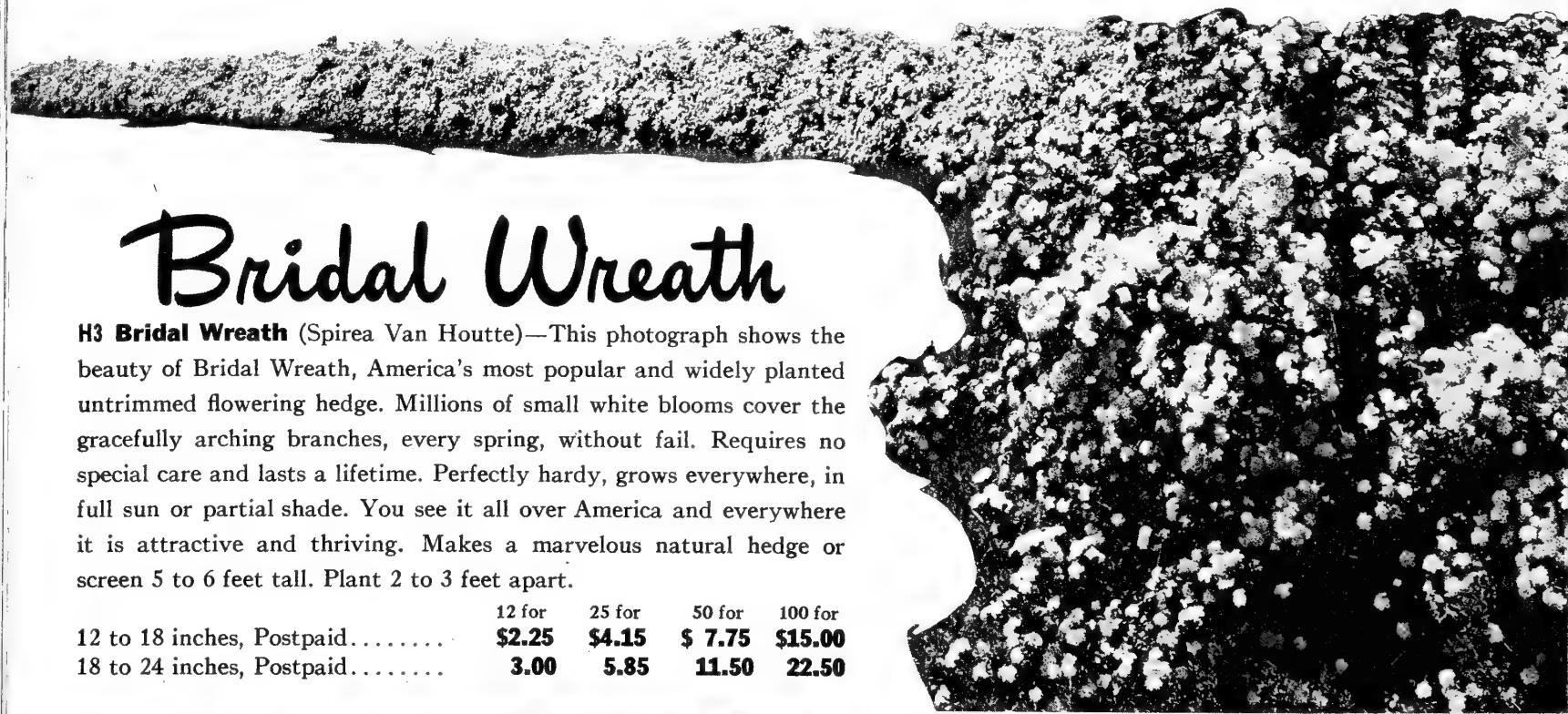
PLANT INTER-STATE *Hardy Hedges...*



HARDY RUSSIAN PRIVET

H2 Hardy Russian Privet (Amoor River North)—If you do not know what hedge to plant, we recommend this very highly. It is by far the most popular hardy trimmed hedge in the northern states. It makes a permanent hedge, lasting for generations. Not only adds beauty, it also protects your yard especially if you have a corner lot. It is fine for a division line between yards. Can be trimmed to any desired height, making a thick, dense hedge, without thorns, right down to the ground. Requires trimming only twice during the summer. But if you trim it 3 or 4 times, it becomes more dense and bushy. Leaves are rich, dark green and hang on until very late fall. Plant 1 foot apart.

Postpaid	12 for	25 for	50 for	100 for	200 for
6 to 12 inches.....	\$1.45	\$2.35	\$4.25	\$7.75	\$13.50
12 to 18 inches.....	1.75	2.85	4.75	9.00	15.50
18 to 24 inches.....	2.50	4.65	8.50	16.50	27.50
2 to 3 feet.....	3.50	6.25	11.75	19.75	36.50



Bridal Wreath

H3 Bridal Wreath (Spirea Van Houtte)—This photograph shows the beauty of Bridal Wreath, America's most popular and widely planted untrimmed flowering hedge. Millions of small white blooms cover the gracefully arching branches, every spring, without fail. Requires no special care and lasts a lifetime. Perfectly hardy, grows everywhere, in full sun or partial shade. You see it all over America and everywhere it is attractive and thriving. Makes a marvelous natural hedge or screen 5 to 6 feet tall. Plant 2 to 3 feet apart.

	12 for	25 for	50 for	100 for
12 to 18 inches, Postpaid.....	\$2.25	\$4.15	\$ 7.75	\$15.00
18 to 24 inches, Postpaid.....	3.00	5.85	11.50	22.50



CHINESE ELM

H1 This is America's fastest growing hedge, making a good showing in just a few months. It is the first to leaf out in the spring and one of the last to shed in late fall. You can trim to any desired height from 3 to 10 feet, as a hedge or tall screen. The more you trim it the more dense and compact it becomes. We recommend that after planting, you cut off nearly all the top, leaving only 3 to 4 inches above ground. Plant 8 inches apart.

	Postpaid	12 for	25 for	50 for	100 for	200 for
12 to 18 inches..	45c	\$.75	\$1.35	\$2.50	\$3.75	
18 to 24 inches..	65c	1.15	2.15	4.00	5.75	
2 to 3 feet....	1.00	1.75	3.35	6.50	9.75	

K15 DOGZOFF

This is guaranteed to keep dogs and other animals away from places they are not wanted. Harmless to humans, non-poisonous, non-inflammable. Easy to use, simple instructions on every can. One can usually lasts a season.

1 CAN FOR 69c

POSTPAID



"DOGZOFF"

PEAT MOSS

K7 Large Bag,
50 to 60 Pounds, Each \$1.75

Shipped direct to you from the Peat Bogs in northern Iowa. You pay the express or freight charges. Order early so it can be shipped by freight as freight is cheaper, but takes longer. We have 2 kinds of Peat Moss. One is Acid for using with Azaleas, Blueberries, Blue Hydrangea and other acid-loving plants. The other type is Neutral. This is used with Roses, Shrubs, Perennials, Lawns and general use. Peat Moss is a very fine soil conditioner. It mingles heavy soils and helps bind sandy soils. It is a pure source of humus, needed by most soils. It is weed-free and odorless and helps the soil to hold moisture and retain plant food. Use 1/4 Peat Moss mixed with the soil when planting and you will get better results.

For Insects and Diseases Use

BUG-DUST-O-CIDE

1. NON-POISONOUS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS WHEN USED AS DIRECTED.
2. MULTI-PURPOSE—Has a triple action on certain insects—as a stomach poison, a contact poison and as a repellent.
3. EFFECTIVE—Satisfied users everywhere recommend Bug-Dust-O-Cide.
4. EASY-TO-USE—ready to apply—no mixing, no fuss or bother.

PRICES

Postpaid in Iowa, Missouri, Nebraska and Kansas. All other states add 3c per pound for postage.

K25 2½ Pounds Bug-Dust-O-Cide and Duster.....	\$1.00
K33 3 Pounds Bug-Dust-O-Cide.....	1.00
K50 5 Pounds Bug-Dust-O-Cide.....	1.60
K55 5½ Pounds Bug-Dust-O-Cide & Duster.....	1.90
K100 10 Pounds Bug-Dust-O-Cide	3.00

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FRIENDS OF THE GARDENER

FORCE'S MOLE KILLER

You simply put the pellets in the runways. The moles like them and eat them and die. That is all there is to it. Keep a supply on hand to use when the mole's runways appear. Guaranteed to work or your money back. Postpaid.

K4 75 Pellets for 50c.
K5 185 Pellets for \$1.00.

RA-PID-GRO

For Better Flowers, Better Lawns, Better Shrubs and Trees, Better Gardens

Here is a product that we would like to have everybody use. When planting, you simply put 4 level teaspoonsfuls of RA-PID-GRO in 1 gallon of water (8 level teaspoonsfuls in 2 gallons water, etc.). Soak the roots of Roses for 3 minutes. They will start much more quickly and bloom much sooner. Soak roots of shrubs for 3 minutes; roots of trees for 4 minutes; just dip Perennial roots for a second or two. Strawberry plant roots are dipped for just a second or two. Raspberry, Blackberry, Boysenberry, Healthberry roots, Grapes, Gooseberries, Currants and Blueberries are dipped for one minute. After dipping, plant right away, keeping all roots protected from sun and wind. When through planting, pour the solution around the newly planted stock. Then every 2 to 3 weeks, use RA-PID-GRO and you will get the very best results. 1 pound makes 22 gallons of quick-acting fertilizer.

It is marvelous for invigorating lawns. For using on the lawn and large areas, we have a special nozzle. It costs \$1.50 Postpaid. It automatically measures out the right amount of RA-PID-GRO. However, you do not need this nozzle for ordinary garden use. You simply put RA-PID-GRO in water in a pail or sprinkling can, then pour it around the stock you wish to fertilize. We realize the soil in most yards is not as fertile as it should be. RA-PID-GRO will overcome this and you will be greatly pleased at the increased growth you get. Try it at our risk. If you are not entirely pleased, your money will be refunded. Instructions on every package.

K160 1 Pound for \$1.25	All Postpaid
K161 2 Pounds for 2.35	
K162 5 Pounds for 4.50	
K163 10 Pounds for 8.75	

DUSTING SULPHUR

For Red Spider control on Evergreens, Phlox, Etc.

Comes in a SELF DUST PACKAGE, all ready to use, no fuss, no mixing, no bother. Thoroughly cover on both upper and lower surfaces, then follow with second and third applications at 10 day intervals when necessary. Keep your Evergreens, Phlox, etc., healthly and free from the ravages of red spider by using this effective Dusting Sulphur.

Also can be used for Black Spot, Mildew, Leaf Spot and Rust. Excellent for common chigger control.

SIMPLE DIRECTIONS TO FOLLOW ARE PLAINLY GIVEN ON SELF DUSTER PACKAGE.

K 20 1 Pound DUSTING SULPHUR and DUSTER only 60c, postpaid.

Shade Trees FOR BEAUTY AND COMFORT

AMERICAN ELM

a grand old tree

T15 This grand tree is known, loved and planted from the Rockies to the Atlantic. Give it plenty of room for development as it grows 60 to 80 feet tall and make a wide spreading top.

4 to 5 feet, not postpaid.....	Each \$.75, 2 for \$1.25
5 to 6 feet, not postpaid.....	Each 1.00, 2 for 1.65
6 to 8 feet, not postpaid.....	Each 1.35, 2 for 2.15

**Send living gifts that your friends
will cherish for years**

*Send them For Birthdays, For Mother's Day,
For Anniversaries, For Any Occasion*

Each year more and more people wish to send their friends and loved ones Living Gifts. It is very easy to do. Just select from our catalog whatever you wish us to send and give us the complete address of those to whom you want it shipped. We will send them a suitable Gift Certificate giving your name as the donor and listing the stock (without prices) they will get. At the proper time we will send the stock to them. Year after year your gift will be a reminder of your thoughtfulness.

INTER-STATE'S NEW HAMBURG ELM

T3 This is an entirely new strain of Elm tree that has never been sold before. It is a hybrid Elm. It grows even faster than the Chinese Elm yet does not break up as the Chinese Elm sometimes does. It is very highly resistant to diseases and insects. It is the most handsome Elm tree we have ever seen, very shapely with large, dark green leaves.

The original tree, growing in Nebraska, has never shown the least sign of winter or cold injury, standing far below zero every winter for many years. Also it grows rapidly right through the summer heat.

There are several Hybrid Elms being grown but this is the most shapely we have seen.

We believe this Hamburg Elm will fill a tremendous need throughout America, North to South, East to West. It grows very rapidly yet it will make a permanent, handsome tree. Ideal for lawn or street planting. Our supply is limited this year, first come, first served.

HAMBURG ELM PRICES

4 to 5 feet, not postpaid.....	Each \$2.00
5 to 6 feet, not postpaid.....	Each 2.50
6 to 8 feet, not postpaid.....	Each 3.00
8 to 10 feet, not postpaid.....	Each 4.00



CHINESE ELM

America's Most Popular Shade Tree

T20 Because of its extremely rapid growth, the Chinese Elm has become popular. Under ordinary conditions, it grows 5 feet a year. In just a few years, it makes excellent shade. It is very valuable for those sections of America where most other trees will not live or thrive, where it is hot and dry, even in alkali. It seems to thrive even in the poorest soil. But in those sections where Maples, Oaks and American Elm are grown, we advise planting the Chinese Elm only as a temporary tree for quick shade. There are hundreds of thousands of such homes, which would be more attractive and more comfortable if some of these quick-growing Chinese Elms were planted.

PRICES ON CHINESE ELM SHADE TREES

	Each	Per 2	Per 4	Per 10
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid.....	\$.75	\$1.35	\$2.50	\$5.75
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid.....	.90	1.65	3.10	7.25
6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid.....	1.40	2.60	4.75	11.50



A 5 to 6 ft. Tree, 7 Years after Planting

A WINDBREAK IN JUST 5 YEARS

A windbreak around your home and farm buildings makes living more comfortable both summer and winter. It breaks up the dust storms and blistering hot winds and the biting cold winds and drifting snows. It will take less fuel to heat your home. Your livestock and poultry will show greater production and profit. Chinese Elm is the fastest growing, drought resistant, economical tree you can plant for a windbreak. In three years you will see a big growth, in 5 years you would not sell it back for hundreds of dollars. These young Chinese Elm Seedlings, are especially fine for windbreak planting. Plant them 5 to 6 feet apart. Two rows in zig-zag fashion help a lot, but three or four rows are better.



12 to 18-inch Chinese Elms 5 Years after Planting

T21* PRICES CHINESE ELM FOR WINDBREAK

Postpaid	Per 25	Per 50	Per 100	Per 200
9 to 12 inches.....	\$.60	\$1.10	\$2.00	\$3.00
12 to 18 inches.....	.75	1.35	2.50	3.75
18 to 24 inches.....	1.15	2.15	4.00	5.75
2 to 3 feet.....	1.75	3.35	6.50	9.75
3 to 4 feet.....	3.00	5.85	11.50	21.00

Not Postpaid	500 9 to 12 inches	\$5.95
500 12 to 18 inches	7.95	
500 18 to 24 inches	9.95	

8T23 CHINESE ELM SPECIAL FOR WINDBREAK 250 for \$4.00

Fine 18 inch plants, Postpaid
For windbreaks, the Chinese Elm is certainly a great blessing. Plant this spring and in a few years you wouldn't part with them for many times what you paid for them. Every day, summer and winter, they add to your comfort and make you money by their protection. For best results, plant 3 or 4 rows.

FOR QUICKER EFFECT – Plant these Root-Pruned - 2 Yr. Seedlings

T22 We have a fine field of 2-Year Chinese Elm Seedlings. These have been grown in wide rows and root-pruned which means a better root system. If you want to plant quite a lot of Chinese Elm Trees and hesitate about paying the higher price for the transplanted shade trees above, then these will do very well for you. The price is so low you can afford to make liberal plantings around your home and buildings, giving shade in summer and protection from the hot winds of summer and cold blasts

of winter. A planting of Chinese Elm is a blessing on any farm and especially so in those parts of Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado, Wyoming and the Dakotas, where so few other trees thrive. These 2-Year Chinese Elm will grow rapidly and are a great value at these prices. They will be shipped at planting time by express.

	Per 10	Per 25	Per 100
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid...	\$2.50	\$5.50	\$20.00
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid...	3.50	7.95	29.50
6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid...	5.00	11.25	39.50

SUGAR MAPLE



T6 The Sugar Maple (also called Hard Maple) is native to almost every state east of the Rockies excepting the gulf states. It is a permanent tree that lasts for generations. There are many homes in America which are identified by their magnificent Sugar Maples. There are two strains, a northern and a southern. Our trees are the northern. This strain colors more attractively in the fall when its luxuriant foliage is marvelous with tints of orange, gold and scarlet. It makes a large, spreading, perfectly formed tree, of which you will always be proud. Just notice our special price on these.

4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid, **Each \$1.50, 2 for \$2.50**
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid, **Each 1.85, 2 for 3.25**
6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid, **Each 2.25, 2 for 4.15**

SILVER BIRCH



T14 This beautiful tree is also called the Cut Leaf Weeping Birch. Its bark is gleaming white, both summer and winter. Its leaves are delicately cut. A single specimen or a group adds distinction to a lawn. The grass will grow right up to the trunk. The white bark comes a year or two after planting. Does best in the north and east.

4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid, **Each \$1.75**
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid, **Each 2.25**
6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid, **Each 2.75**



PIN OAK the most majestic of shade trees



T11 Everybody thinks the Oak is a grand tree and always admires it. But few have planted them for two main reasons. In the first place they have sold at high prices. In the second place many people think they grow so slowly. Now we are offering the Pin Oak, the finest of all Oaks, at the price of just ordinary trees. Careful records have shown that the Pin Oak, the fastest growing of all the Oaks, actually grows almost as fast as the American Elm. It is one of the most enduring of all trees. A tree planted now will be a great pleasure to you and for generations to come. For street and lawn planting it has no equal.

It grows in symmetrical, pyramidal form and at maturity towers 60 to 80 feet high. The rich green foliage is deeply cut and colors to a glorious coppery-red in the fall. A sturdy, rugged grower, it adapts itself to all locations and is not bothered by insects or diseases. Plant Pin Oak and every year hereafter you will be thankful.

3 to 4 feet, Not Postpaid..... **Each \$1.25, 2 for \$2.25**
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid..... **Each 1.50, 2 for 2.75**
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid..... **Each 2.00, 2 for 3.75**
6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid..... **Each 2.50, 2 for 4.75**

Beauty for all the Seasons

SCARLET MAPLE

PURPLE MAPLE (Schwedler's)

T5 This is one of America's finest shade and ornamental trees. Beautiful in spring, summer and fall. In the spring, the foliage is a rich reddish-purple. In the summer, it is a bronzy-green. In the fall, it is attractive golden-yellow. It is not a fast grower but the growth is so symmetrical and perfect that even a young tree has a commanding appearance. It is especially suitable as a specimen in the lawn and also makes a good tree for the parking. A permanent tree that lasts for many generations.

5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid, **Each \$2.50**

4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid, **Each 2.00**

SCARLET MAPLE (Rubrum)

T10 In the fall, this is the most gorgeously colored tree in all America. The leaves are a brilliant rosy-scarlet (like fall sumac leaves), much brighter than pictured here. Now priced lower so thousands can plant them. In the spring, the tree is full of scarlet flowers followed by bright red seed. The spring and summer foliage is attractive, deep green above and blue-green below. Makes a large, shapely, long-lived tree that is not so dense but grass grows underneath. Very valuable for lawn and parking. Grows from the gulf to Minnesota.

6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid, **Each \$2.75**

5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid, **Each 2.00**

4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid, **Each 1.50**



WHITE BIRCH

T8 **White Birch** in a new rare form, grown as a clump with three or more distinct trunks. It is the same as 3 trees with one root. It gives a naturalistic effect that is peculiarly attractive in the White Birch. After the tree has been planted for a year or two, the bark turns white and stays that way, summer and winter. It grows 25 to 30 feet tall. The green foliage colors an attractive yellow in the fall. You can easily imagine how beautiful it will look in your yard.

5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each \$3.25
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each 2.75
3 to 4 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each 2.00



BLUE JUNIPER

EI Blue Juniper (Patent No. 422)—A new evergreen that we consider the most outstanding variety introduced in the last 25 years. It is low growing like the Pfister's but the foliage has a beautiful silvery blue color that is impossible to reproduce on paper. The color is the brightest on the new growth and darkens somewhat on the inside. It is one of the few evergreens which will thrive over the entire United States, in the south as well as the north, east and west. Ideal for corners, for foundations, beside the walk, near the porch, any place you want a low growing Evergreen. It eventually reaches a height of 4 feet, and 6 to 8 feet wide. Postpaid.

18 inches across, **Each \$3.50, 2 for \$6.45**

15 inches across, **Each 3.00, 2 for 5.45**

8T25 LAWN BEAUTY SPECIAL

1 Scarlet Maple, 5 to 6 ft.	Both for \$3.50
1 White Birch, 3 to 4 ft.	

Not Postpaid



INTER-STATE'S

"Get-Acquainted" COLLECTION

This offer is made especially for those who have not planted any Inter-State roses. We want you to discover the satisfaction, the pleasure, the joy, that Inter-State roses have brought to hundreds of thousands. Every variety in this collection is exceptionally free-blooming, a vigorous grower, a hardy, rugged plant. We know that they will bring us repeat orders, satisfied customers.

Plant some this spring. Send some to friends. We will ship direct to them, postpaid. In eight weeks or so, they will start blooming, beautiful, fragrant flowers, lovely in the garden and fine for cutting, all summer and many summers to come. They are fully described on pages 50 and 51. You get exactly the same fine plants as though you paid the full price.

1. *Golden Dawn*, shining golden yellow.
2. *McGredy's Scarlet*, luminous carmine-red.
3. *K. A. Victoria*, free blooming white.
4. *Editor McFarland*, glowing clear pink.
5. *E. G. Hill*, unfading, vivid scarlet crimson.

8C102

Heavy Super-Size Plants

All 5 for \$4.75 Postpaid

8C2

Selected 2-Year No. 1 Plants

All 5 for \$4.25 Postpaid



Two Great Roses

Peace



Peace Special

2 Peace Rose
2 Crimson Glory

Extra Large Specimen
Plants, Postpaid

8C5 All 4 for \$7.50

8C6 Selected plants, Postpaid
All 4 for \$5.85

C58 Peace (Plant Patent No. 591)—Won the All America Rose Award for 1946 with the highest score ever given a new rose. It is a vigorous, healthy grower with shining dark green foliage. No picture can do justice to this truly great rose. The perfect buds slowly open into large, fully double fragrant flowers. Its greatest charm is the changing panorama of colors. At first the buds are a rich gold edged cerise. As the outer petals unfold the gold changes to canary then lightens to creamy ivory. The cerise edge gradually deepens and becomes broader so the fully open flower appears a sparkling cerise with a creamy-yellow base. The flowers last a long time and are beautiful at all stages. Postpaid. **Each \$2.00, 3 for \$5.00, 12 for \$20.00**

Extra Large Specimen Plants, Each \$2.50, 3 for \$6.25

C11 Crimson Glory (Plant Patent No. 105)—This is one of the greatest roses ever introduced, a deep crimson with a velvety sheen. Perfect buds open into large magnificent blooms, very fragrant. A hardy, healthy bush producing the beautiful flowers from late spring to frost. Those who have it, want more. A rose garden just is not complete without it. Postpaid. **Each \$1.50, 3 for \$3.75, 12 for \$15.00**

Extra Large Specimen Plants, Each \$2.00, 3 for \$5.00

Crimson Glory

Hearts Desire Special

1 Charlotte Armstrong

1 Heart's Desire

1 Mme. Chiang Kai-shek

8C3 Selected Plants

All 3 for \$3.75

Postpaid

8C82 Specimen Plants All 3 for \$4.35, Postpaid

Mme. Chiang
Kai-shek

Charlotte Armstrong

Heart's Desire

All American

The All America Rose Selection Award is the highest honor a rose can win in the United States. There are a number of rose test gardens in different sections. Experts watch the new roses carefully. They meet and compare

C14 Heart's Desire (Plant Patent No. 501)—This is a particular favorite because of its delightful fragrance. A small bouquet will perfume a room, and the bright yet soft crimson-scarlet is such a pleasing color. The buds are perfect, pointed and open into large graceful double flowers. The blooms come on long stems fine for cutting. The plant is a hardy, healthy, vigorous grower. Postpaid.

Each \$1.50, 3 for \$3.75

Extra Large Specimen Plants, Each \$1.75, 3 for \$4.40

C15 Mme. Chiang Kai-Shek (Plant Patent No. 664)—One of the most perfect roses with truly magnificent buds and a double rose of 35 petals when fully open. Very long stems fine for cutting. The buds are a light canary yellow. As the petals gracefully unfold, the outer petals become a rich ivory with center petals light yellow. Has a subtle, enchanting fragrance. We consider it the very best light yellow. Postpaid.

Each \$1.50, 3 for \$3.75

Extra Large Specimen Plants, Each \$1.75, 3 for \$4.40

C10 Charlotte Armstrong (Plant Patent No. 455)—This fine rose is making a remarkable record. It not only won the A A R S Award, but also the John Cook Medal for being the best new American rose since 1935 and in 1944 won the Gertrude Hubbell Gold Medal for being the best American rose in the previous five years. Lovely long streamlined buds open to enchanting full-blown flowers. No picture can do the color justice. The buds are carmine and the open flowers cerise, beautiful at all stages. Long stems fine for cutting. Postpaid.

Each \$1.50, 3 for \$3.75

Extra Large Specimen Plants, Each \$1.75, 3 for \$4.40

Mirandy Special

1 Mirandy	1 Lowell Thomas	1 Peace
Standard Plants	All 3 for \$4.20 Postpaid	
8C53		
Specimen Plants	All 3 for \$5.25 Postpaid	
8C80		

Lowell Thomas

Award Winners

notes and any rose which has proven to be superior is given an award. Every rose on pages 39, 40 and 41 has won this merited honor, excepting Crimson Glory and it was introduced before the award system was originated.

C18 Lowell Thomas (Plant Patent No. 595)—We do not know of any finer pure clear yellow rose. The flowers come singly on long stems, extra fine for cutting. The perfectly formed buds open into charming double, large flowers which retain their color unusually well and have an elusive delicate fragrance. Exquisite in a bouquet and a charming color spot in the rose garden. Postpaid. **Each \$1.50, 3 for \$3.75, 12 for \$15.00**

Extra Large Specimen Plants, Each \$1.75, 3 for \$4.40

C57 Nocturne (Plant Patent No. 713)—An All America Rose Award winner for 1948. Fragrant flowers of cardinal-red shaded crimson. The long perfect buds open into large flowers, richly textured. Postpaid. **Each \$2.00**

KEEP YOUR ROSES HEALTHY

Roses will grow in many different soils but they respond greatly to care and attention. Keep them healthy. If available, there is nothing better than cow manure. You can work it into the soil any month that the ground is not frozen. Otherwise you can use any commercial fertilizer following carefully the instructions on the package. Ra-Pid-Gro is good and acts quickly. Work a liberal amount of neutral peat into the ground. It adds humus and helps greatly to retain moisture. When you water, do a good job, so that the moisture penetrates 6 or more inches into the soil. A mulch of neutral peat moss, lawn rakes or other materials helps hold the moisture.

Start early in the season to dust or spray. Keep the plants healthy. You will find our Rose Dust listed on page 51 to be very good. But remember that an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure. Do not be afraid to cut the flowers as the more you cut them, the more freely the plant will produce.

C50 Mirandy (Plant Patent No. 632)—This great rose takes its place with the finest red roses of the world. The color is a rich dark red, a few shades lighter than Crimson Glory, an entirely different color. It has a rich, full-bodied true rose fragrance, one of the most fragrant of all roses. The large buds open into immense fully double flowers with 50 petals and last a long time. Blooms singly on long stems. The plants are very vigorous with luxuriant deep green foliage. Thrives in all rose sections excepting the cool foggy areas on the Pacific Coast. Postpaid. **Each \$1.50, 3 for \$3.75**

Extra Large Specimen Plants, Each \$2.00, 3 for \$5.00

C69 Rubaiyat (Plant Patent Applied For)—This fine rose was the only one to win the All America Rose Award in 1947. The plant is a strong, sturdy, very-healthy grower. It is an exceedingly free-bloomer with luxuriant, deep green foliage. The cerise-red flowers have the delightful old rose fragrance. Long shapely buds open slowly into large flowers on long stems. It is a magnificent garden rose and excellent for cutting. This rose will live for years. Postpaid. **Each \$2.00, 3 for \$5.00**

Extra Large Specimen Plants, Each \$2.25, 3 for \$5.65

1 Charlotte Armstrong
1 Mme. Chiang Kai-shek
1 Crimson Glory
1 Heart's Desire

1 Lowell Thomas
1 Mirandy
1 Peace

8C4
All 7 Postpaid for \$9.20

8C81 Specimen Plants All 7 for \$11.30 Postpaid



Inter-State's Famous Gold Medal Collection

AMERICA'S FINEST EVER-BLOOMING ROSES

Free-Blooming • Fragrant • Gorgeous Colors • Hardy

Christopher Stone, unfading scarlet.

Mme. Joseph Perraud, buff-orange.

Contrast, vivid cerise and white.

Etoile de Hollande, velvety crimson.

McGredy's Yellow, pure clear yellow.

Duquesa de Penaranda, apricot

The Doctor, sparkling bright pink.

McGredy's Ivory, magnificent white.

Picture, lovely rose-pink.

Mrs. P. S. DuPont, golden yellow.

Christopher
Stone

Mme. Joseph
Perraud

McGredy's
Yellow

Contrast

Etoile de
Hollande

Picture

McGredy's
Ivory

Duquesa
de Penaranda

The Doctor

One each of all ten of these famous roses. They will
bloom this summer and grow from coast to coast.
8C101 Heavy Super-Size Plants
All 10 only \$8.95 Postpaid
8C1 Selected 2-Year No. 1 Plants
All 10 for \$7.95 Postpaid



Glorious Floribundas BLOOM JUNE TO FROST—REMARKABLY HARDY

These are becoming increasingly popular because the plants are hardy, disease-resistant, vigorous and bloom so freely from spring to frost. Put in groups, beds or borders, 15 to 18 inches apart.

C93 Dagmar Spath—Large trusses of white flowers produced freely all summer. Makes a bushy plant 24 inches tall.

C90 Else Poulsen—Year after year, this magnificent hardy rose produces its clusters of bright rose-pink flowers from spring to frost. As a hedge, border or solid bed, it is exceptionally fine. Grows 30 to 36 inches tall.

C92 Improved Lafayette—So attractive that even strangers passing a bed will go to the house and ask the name of it. Its cheerful cherry-red semi-double flowers are produced lavishly from spring to frost, probably the most profuse bloomer of all roses. Grows 30 to 36 inches tall.

C88 Lipstick—A brilliant orange-red that stands out. Extremely hardy, almost fool-proof. 36 to 40 inches tall.

C100 Mrs. R. M. Finch—Great clusters of fully double 2 inch flowers of light pink changing to blush, then almost white so that a cluster will show all these colors. Strong bushy plants 24 to 30 inches tall bloom spring to frost.

C91 Pink Gruss an Aachen—Could be listed with the Hybrid Teas as the flowers are large and fully double but are produced much more freely. Blooms continuously. The buds are orange-pink, open flowers an exquisite orchid-pink. Superb for bedding as it makes a bushy, rather spreading plant 15 inches tall. Very fine in partial shade.

C94 Ruth Shamburger—At the Ames, Iowa rose test garden, this variety has gone through over 10 winters and blooms freely every season from spring to frost. Delicate salmon-pink flowers bloom in clusters. Grows 3 feet tall.

POSTPAID PRICES ON ALL 7 VARIETIES ABOVE

Your choice alike or assorted

	Each	5 for	10 for
Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants.....	\$1.00	\$4.50	\$8.45
Extra Large Specimen Plants.....	1.15	5.00	9.50

C87 Goldilocks (Plant Patent No. 672)—This is the first real bright yellow Floribunda. Blooms in clusters, the flowers are fully double when open and have wild-rose fragrance. Grows 24 inches tall. Postpaid.

Each \$1.50

C95 World's Fair (Plant Patent No. 362)—This was the first rose to win the All America Rose Award and is especially fine in a solid bed or used as a border. Also many plant a group of them in the shrub border. It grows 2 feet tall and all summer produces clusters of the deep velvety brilliant crimson flowers which are far more attractive than pictured. The blooms are slightly fragrant and 3 to 4 inches across. Postpaid.

Each \$1.25, 3 for \$3.15, 12 for \$12.50, 25 for \$23.45

Floribunda Special

2 Else Poulsen
2 Improved Lafayette
2 Mrs. R. M. Finch
2 Pink Gruss an Aachen

8C104
Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants
All 8 for \$5.95
Postpaid

World's Fair



INTER-STATE

Tree Roses

Standard or Tree-shaped roses are grown by budding the variety of rose desired to a tall stem at a height of 36 to 40 inches from the ground, forming a bushy head at the top of this stem. Many rose varieties produce even more blooms when grown in this way than an ordinary bush, and the individual flowers are frequently larger and more brilliantly colored. They bloom from spring to frost. Tree roses are very effective in the garden, emphasizing corners and giving that much desired height. However, they must be protected over winter. Most people just bend them over carefully until the stem and top are parallel to the ground. Then put boards along the side and protect with dirt, or where temperature does not go below zero, leaves mixed with straw, grass or wild hay will do. We have selected those roses which have been found to be the freest blooming and best adapted as a tree rose.

Each \$4.00 2 for \$7.65
6 for \$21.00

Shipped by express not prepaid.

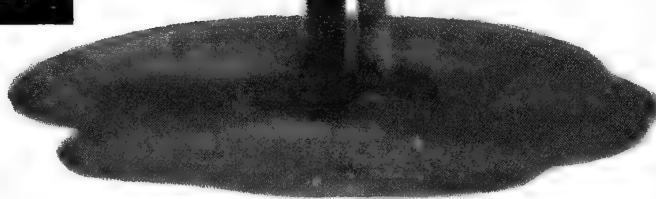


**Your Choice
of Following Colors:**

- C120 Multi-color
- C121 Pink
- C122 Red
- C123 White
- C124 Yellow

EVERBLOOMING BABY ROSES

These are not tree roses but are Polyantha Baby Roses ideal for borders and also solid beds. Bloom constantly from spring to freezing. They grow only 15 to 18 inches tall and are hardy, require but little care. Plant 12 to 15 inches apart.



C96 Chatillon—Very fine low-growing pink with enormous heads of vivid pink flowers all through the season. You will want more after you see it bloom.

C97 Gloria Mundi—Huge clusters of brilliant orange-scarlet flowers, extremely double, cover the bushy plant all season. This variety will be a bright spot in your garden.

C98 Sparkler—The popular low-growing red baby rose. It is always full of bright crimson flowers. A solid bed or border is beautiful all season. Plant a group in a corner of your shrubs for constant color.

C99 White Baby—This is excellent for those who want a white, low-growing Polyantha that blooms very freely all season.

Postpaid Prices on Above Baby Roses

Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants.....	Each \$1.00	5 for \$4.50	10 for \$8.45
Extra Heavy Specimen Plants.....	1.15	5.00	9.50

Baby Rose Special

2 Chatillon 2 Gloria Mundi

2 Sparkler

Selected plants Postpaid

8C103 All 6 for \$4.35

8XC103 Extra Heavy Specimen Plants

All 6 for \$4.85 Postpaid

COMBINATION SPECIAL

1 Else Poulsen	1 Mrs. R. M. Finch	1 Chatillon
1 Imp. Lafayette	1 Pink Aachen	1 Sparkler

8C105 Selected plants All 6 Postpaid for \$4.50

8XC105 Extra Heavy Specimen Plants All 6 for \$4.95

EVERBLOOMING
Dr. J.H. Nicolas
CLIMBING ROSE

(Plant Patent No. 457)

C165 From late spring until hard frosts, this remarkable new rose produces its fully double, deep rose-pink flowers. The blooms are large, 50 to 60 petals and are very fragrant. They come on long stems fine for cutting. Grows 8 to 10 feet tall, very fine as a pillar. Hardy as Pauls Scarlet and disease resistant. It is an outstanding variety that we predict will become very popular. Postpaid.

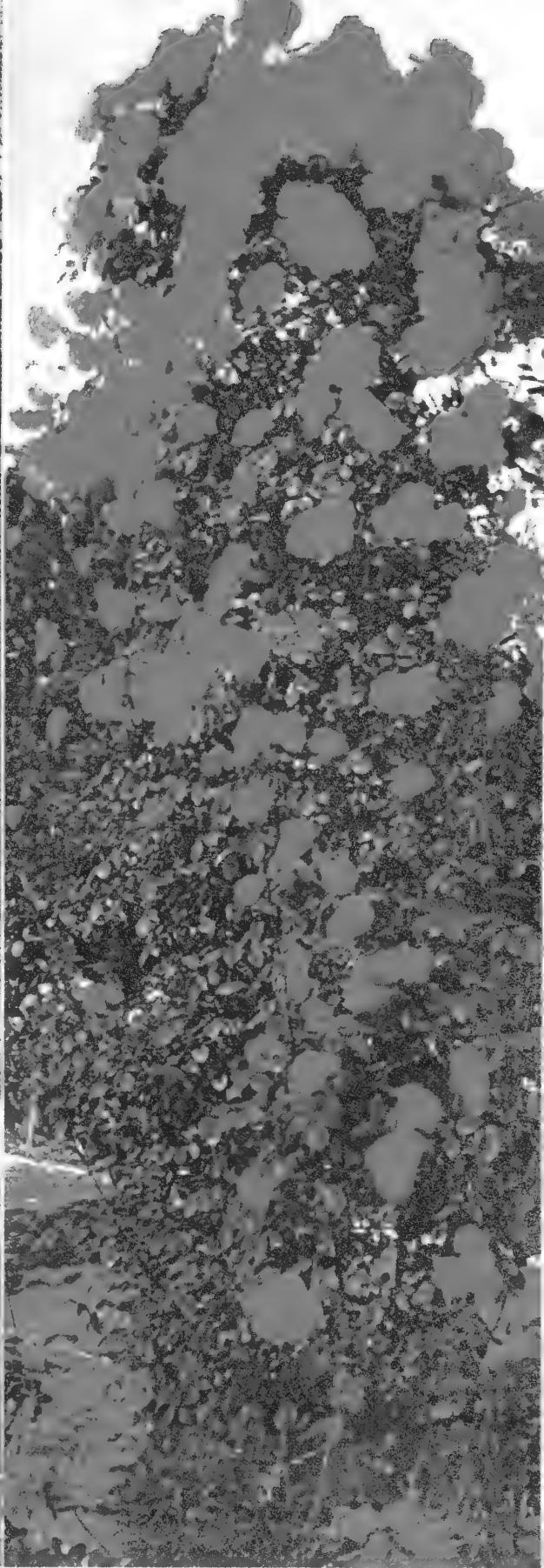
Each \$1.50, 3 for \$3.75, 12 for \$15.00



**EVERBLOOMING
CLIMBER
SPECIAL**

1 Blaze
1 City of York
1 Dr. J. H. Nicolas

8C173
All 3 for \$3.75 Post-
paid



City of York

C156 A magnificent new white climbing rose. In the late spring and early summer, over a long period, the vigorous plant is almost covered with hundreds of 3-inch, semi-double to double white flowers, so fragrant that they perfume the whole area. During the summer and fall there is some recurrent bloom. It is a strong grower, hardy as Paul's Scarlet and has healthy, deep green, glossy foliage which sparkles in the sunlight.

Each \$1.50, 3 for \$3.75, 12 for \$15.00 Postpaid.

Blaze

C155 (Plant Patent No. 10). Clusters of brilliant scarlet cover the plant in June and repeat intermittently all season. Holds this bright color in the hottest sun. An ideal pillar rose. Plant in good soil as the more it grows, the more it blooms. Take off only actual flowers when trimming after first blooming since new bloom-shoots grow from the first eye below the old flower cluster.

Each \$1.50, 3 for \$3.75, 12 for \$15.00 Postpaid.

Color SPECIAL

INTER-STATE'S
EVERBLOOMING ROSES



COLOR SPECIAL

Medium Size, 2 Year, Hardy
Field Grown Plants

Will Bloom This Summer

8C7 **6 FOR \$3.95**

8C8 **12 FOR \$7.45**

8C9 **25 FOR \$14.85**

ALL POSTPAID

**YOUR CHOICE
OF COLORS**

Alike or Assorted

No. 1 . . . Two-Tone

No. 2 Red

No. 3 Yellow

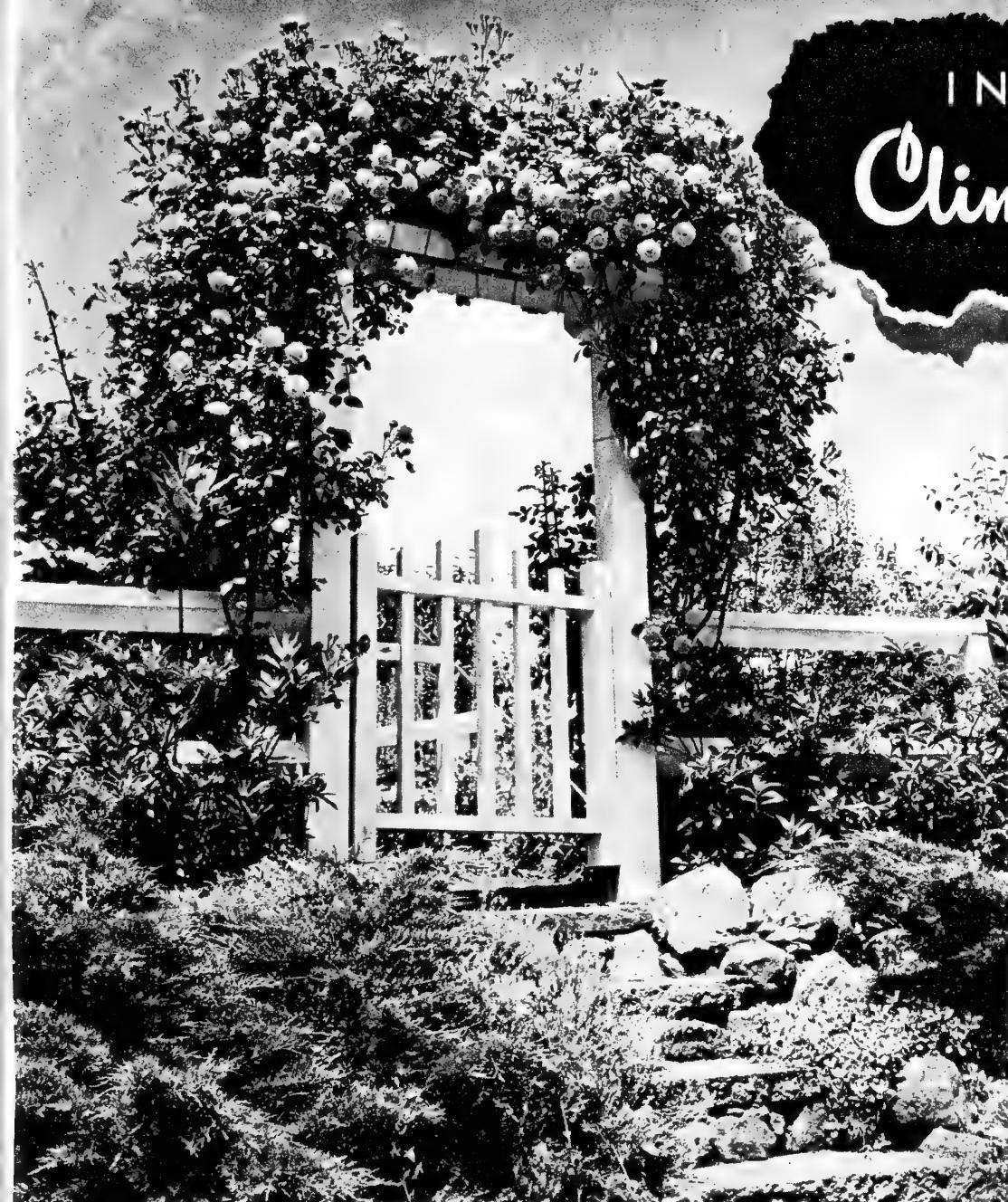
No. 4 Pink

No. 5 Orange

No. 6 White

These are genuine Inter-State Ever-blooming Roses, smaller plants of the same fine varieties as pictured and described on the other rose pages. But in this Color Special, instead of buying them by name, you buy them by color AT A SPECIAL LOW PRICE. You will have beautiful, fragrant roses, and lots of them, this summer and many summers to come.





INTER-STATE'S

Climbing Roses

C159 Dr. Huey—It produces strong canes, 8 to 10 feet long, that are completely covered with the richest, darkest crimson-maroon flowers. We have never yet talked with anyone who did not like it. A big plant, in full bloom, is truly a magnificent sight. It is an ideal pillar rose.

Each 90c, 3 for \$2.50

C148 Excelsa—Bright crimson flowers in large clusters. Another old favorite that does well everywhere.

Each 65c, 3 for \$1.65

C147 Gardenia—Vigorous climber with handsome glossy foliage and rather large, pale creamy yellow buds and blooms of delicate ivory, deeper yellow in the center.

Each 65c, 3 for \$1.65

C161 Paul's Scarlet—This famous rose is the most popular red climbing rose ever introduced. A mature plant in full bloom is a sight that simply stops everybody who passes by. It is a solid sheet of blazing scarlet. The color does not fade but is as bright when last petals fall as when it opened. The flowers come in clusters on long stems. Plant them on a trellis or porch. A row of them along the fence will be the talk of the town.

Each 90c, 3 for \$2.50

For mass display of color, hardly anything can equal climbing roses in full bloom. Used on porches, arbors, trellises and trailing over fences. All these climbers are hardy, but we recommend that winter protection be given in cold sections. Set 3 to 4 feet apart. All climbing roses are postpaid.

C152 NEW DAWN (Patent No. 1)—This is the first Everblooming Climbing Rose, and also the first plant that was issued a patent. No other climber will produce as many flowers constantly from late spring to frosts. The flowers are large, a lovely apple-blossom pink, delightfully fragrant. They come on long stems, ideal for cutting. It is hardy. Any day in summer you can go out and find flowers. **Each \$2.00**

C149 BLUE RAMBLER—This climber has the most unusual colored flowers, steel blue with rose shadings.

Each 75c, 3 for \$2.00

C160 Climbing American Beauty—An old favorite with many thousands of friends. The entire plant, from top to bottom, is full of large, fragrant, double, deep rosy-pink flowers. Fine for cutting as they come on long stems.

Each 90c, 3 for \$2.50

RAMBLER SPECIAL

- 1 Blue Rambler**, blue
- 1 Excelsa**, red
- 1 Gardenia**, yellow
- 1 Dr. Van Fleet**, pink
- 1 White Dorothy**, white

8C172

All 5 for \$2.35

C154 Coral Pillar—Originated by Dr. W. E. Lammerts, this new rose is an ideal pillar. The flowers are large, a brilliant blending of rose, pink, carmine, gold and apricot. It is hardly ever out of bloom from spring to frost.

Each \$1.50

C157 Dr. W. Van Fleet—Very vigorous grower with large, double, fragrant light pink flowers on long stems, ideal for cutting. Even one plant will produce hundreds of blooms, when full grown.

Each 90c, 3 for \$2.50

PAUL'S SCARLET SPECIAL

- 1 Paul's Scarlet**, red
- 1 Silver Moon**, white
- 1 Climbing American Beauty**, rose

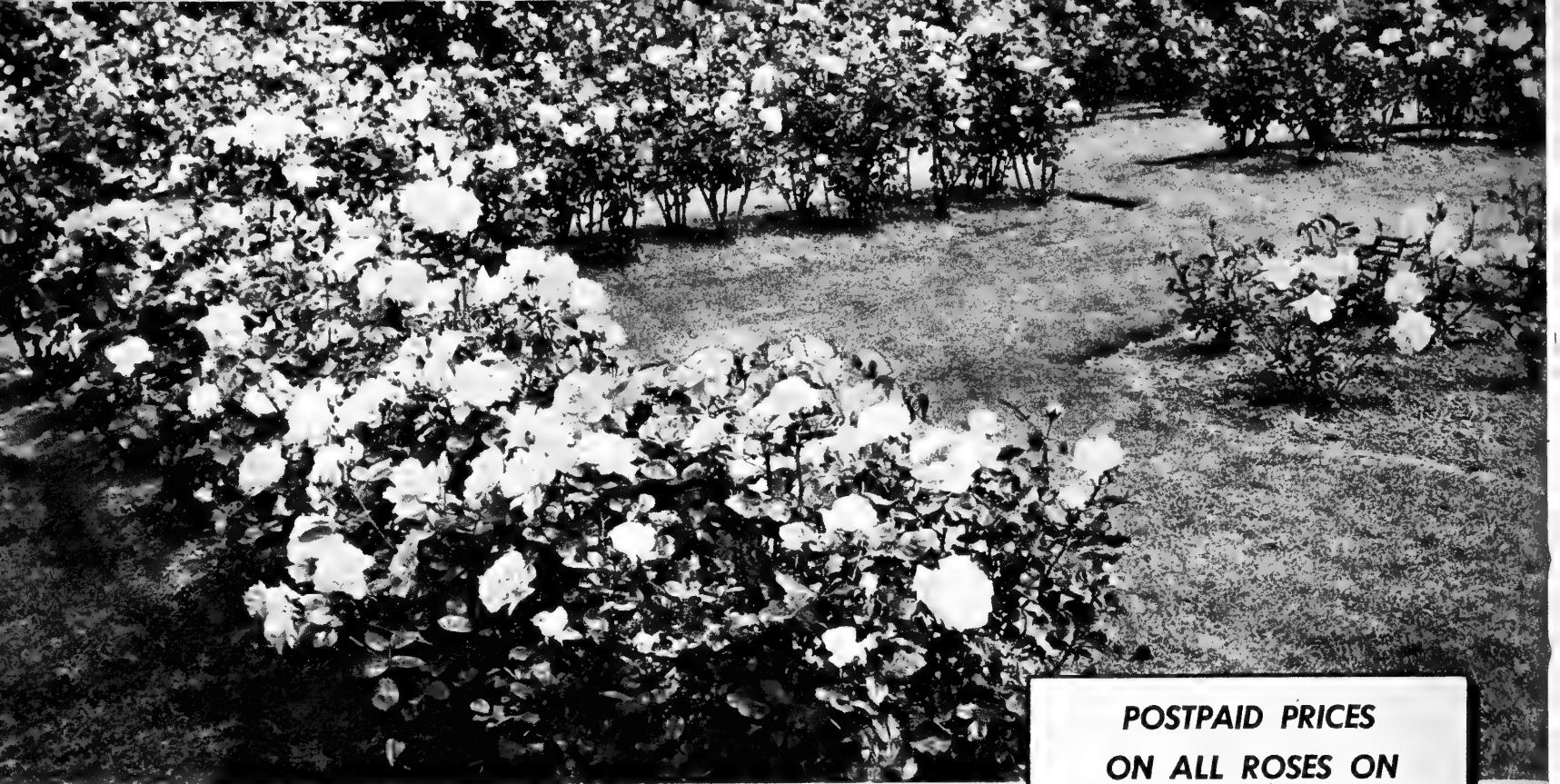
8C171

All 3 for \$2.25

C163 Silver Moon—Many think this the most lovely white climbing rose in existence. It is a strong grower. The flowers are large, semi-double, a soft white with just a faint ivory tinge and golden stamens in the center. **Each 90c, 3 for \$2.50**

C146 White Dorothy—Great clusters of double white flowers. Easy to grow everywhere. **Each 65c, 3 for \$1.65**

C166 Zephirine Drouhin—Hardy, very vigorous climber covered with large, very fragrant vivid pink flowers in the spring and sparingly in the fall. Thornless. Very fine. **Each \$1.00**



Famous Everblooming Roses

The Rose is rightfully called the Queen of All Flowers. None other can equal its fragrance, its colorful beauty, its grace, its freedom of bloom from spring to frost—each flower bringing its message of joy, cheer and beauty.

Can you think of another hobby that will provide more pleasure and more beauty for you than growing roses? There is a thrill when you walk into a rose garden and smell the delightful fragrance of the beautiful flowers.

Each year many thousands buy from this fascinating selection of glorious, hardy, ever-blooming roses. They will commence blooming 7 to 8 weeks after planting. PLANT ROSES EARLY, around the time when people are putting in early gardens. Plant 15 to 20 inches apart. With each order we send Planting Instructions telling you how to plant and care for your roses.

These are all strictly first quality, hardy, field-grown plants. This season they are exceptionally fine, vigorous and husky. Some prefer to plant extra heavy bushes so we are making a special grade selecting the extra large, specimen plants, extra well-branched with extra strong root system. We also assure you that our regular 2-Year No. One grade will satisfy critical buyers. They are the kind which have made Inter-State roses famous all over America.

Postpaid prices on all roses on pages 50 and 51

Your choice of varieties, alike or assorted

Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants.....
Extra Heavy Specimen Plants..

Each	5 for	10 for
\$1.00	\$4.50	\$8.45
1.15	5.00	9.50

C22 Christopher Stone—A most exciting new rose—a brilliant, sparkling scarlet-crimson without a trace of blue. Shapely long pointed buds open into large attractive flowers with the true old damask rose fragrance. A healthy, vigorous grower and exceedingly free-bloomer. Stands lots of heat. Generally considered the best bright red rose. Pictured on page 42.

C21 Condesa de Sastago—large, fragrant flowers of fiery copper-red inside and rich yellow outside. Strong, healthy, vigorous grower and free bloomer. It is one of the great roses of all time.

C20 Caledonia—Long buds open into double, high-centered flowers of ivory changing to pure white. Come singly on long stems. Delicate fragrance.

C23 Contrast—A strikingly beautiful two-tone rose, the inside of the petal is cerise-rose with a brightening touch of orange, and the outside is satiny white. The flowers are very full and double, fragrant and produced abundantly throughout the entire season. Fine in the garden and for cutting. It is a hardy, husky, vigorous grower, a rose that "can take it." Pictured on page 42.

**POSTPAID PRICES
ON ALL ROSES ON
PAGES 50 AND 51**
**Your Choice of Varieties,
Alike or Assorted**
Extra heavy Specimen Plants

Each \$1.15 5 for \$5.00

10 for \$9.50

Postpaid

C33 Dame Edith Helen—Very large, perfectly shaped flowers of pure glowing pink, very fragrant, long stems, flowers last a long time. An exhibition rose.

C25 Duquesa de Penaranda—A most intriguing color of orange-apricot, with deeper coppery tones, large pointed buds, sweetly perfumed and long lasting. A tall, strong grower with beautiful light green shiny foliage. One of the first varieties to bloom in the spring. Pictured on page 43.

C27 Editor McFarland—All through the season, the lovely fragrant, glowing pink flowers are produced on long, strong stems, fine for cutting. The buds are perfect. We consider this one of the finest pink roses ever introduced. Pictured on page 38.

C28 E. G. Hill—Large flowers of very lasting dazzling scarlet-crimson, never fading or turning blue, but actually becoming deeper red as they open. The flowers are borne on long stems and are very fragrant. Its brilliant color, extra freedom of bloom and lasting color qualities have made it so popular. Pictured on page 38.

C26 Edith Nellie Perkins—One of the finest of all roses. The long, pointed buds come on long stems and open into perfect flowers of orange-cerise and salmon tinged gold inside. Fragrant. Grows vigorously and blooms freely.

C30 Etoile de Hollande—The perfect buds open beautifully into glorious perfect flowers of velvety crimson. Incomparable fragrance. The bush is strong, free branching and healthy. Fine for cutting. Pictured on page 42.

C34 Frau Karl Druschki—The magnificent white rose that is loved by all. Immense long, pointed buds open into graceful flowers that are unsurpassed for form and the color is the clearest, pure white. Perfectly hardy. Such a vigorous grower you should plant them farther apart.

C35 Glowing Carmine—Large, fully double fragrant flowers of the most beautiful shade of rich carmine. Freely produced on long stems. Long-lasting. Healthy, vigorous grower.

C36 Golden Dawn—This lovely rose has taken the entire world by storm. The gorgeous buds of yellow have splashes of carmine and open into large, fragrant flowers of rich yellow. Hardy, vigorous, free-blooming. Pictured on page 38.

C37 Golden Rapture—Exceedingly fine new rose with fragrant flowers of clear golden yellow. Exquisite buds on long stems, fine for cutting as they last so long.

C38 Gruss an Teplitz—A great bedding rose, always in bloom. The flowers are fragrant, an intense scarlet. Very hardy.

C44 K. A. Victoria—Absolutely perfect, fragrant flowers of ivory-white. An old favorite that even today has not been surpassed. Pictured on page 38.

C46 Margaret McGredy—At first the color is a bright orange-scarlet that lightens to a rich carmine and is beautiful at all times. A healthy, vigorous grower that is always in bloom.

C47 McGredy's Ivory—A magnificent creamy-white rose that is fragrant and deep-petaled. Buds are long pointed, opening into very large, double flowers. Many consider it the finest white rose. Pictured on page 43.

Small Garden Special

You can ask anyone who knows roses about these 5 varieties. They will tell you that these are 5 of the best roses grown. They will also tell you that each one is a good bloomer. You will have dozens of beautiful flowers from spring to frost. They are lovely in the garden and fine for cutting.

- 1 Condesa de Sastago**
- 1 Edith Nellie Perkins**
- 1 Frau Karl Druschki**
- 1 Poinsettia**
- 1 Soeur Therese**

C38

All 5 for \$3.85 Postpaid
2-Year No. 1 Plants

C48 McGredy's Scarlet—A wonderful rose, beautiful in the garden and fine for cutting. The large, perfect flowers of luminous carmine-red are produced generously from spring until frost. Should be in every rose garden. Pictured on page 38.

C49 McGredy's Yellow—This is our favorite yellow rose. The color is so soft and clear and pure. The flower has a charm and grace all its own and entirely distinct. A strong grower and free bloomer. Pictured on page 42.

C51 Mme. Joseph Perraud—This outstanding rose is pictured on page 42. A wonderful exhibition and garden rose. The long slender buds open into fragrant full flowers of nasturtium buff flushed orange. Very vigorous. Large, glossy foliage.

C52 Mme. Jules Bouche—A very fine white garden rose. The sweetly scented blooms are produced very freely all season and last a long time when cut.

C54 Mrs. E. P. Thom—A grand rose of unfading, clear yellow. Strong growing and free-blooming, it has made good all over America.

C55 Mrs. P. S. Dupont—From early summer until freezing this rose is a glorious sight with its rich yellow flowers. Long pointed buds, fragrant, profuse bloomer. It was the favorite yellow rose in our World's Fair Rose Garden in Chicago. Pictured on page 43.

C56 Mrs. Sam McGredy—Pointed buds open into beautiful fragrant flowers of apricot suffused gold. It is vigorous, hardy, free-blooming.

C59 Picture—We consider this one of the very finest pink roses in existence, a clear pink with just a trace of salmon to give it a warm glow. Delightfully fragrant. The blooms are perfect in bud and when open. Very vigorous plant which blooms continuously. Pictured on page 43.

C60 Pink Dawn—A new rose. Fine for gardening and cutting. Buds are lovely, and open into large, fully double flowers of clear, purest pink. Extremely fragrant. A vigorous grower, hardy and free-blooming.

C62 Poinsettia—This free-blooming rose brings to you the brilliance, the glowing red color of the Christmas Poinsettia. Long pointed buds, ideally formed, fine for cutting.

C64 Pres. Hoover—A glorious combination of cerise-toned orange, scarlet and yellow. Richly perfumed, long stemmed and free-blooming.

C66 Radiance, Pink—The great American pink rose, planted everywhere because it has made good all over America. The fragrant flowers are produced abundantly all season.

C67 Radiance, Red—This is one of America's great red roses. Vigorous grower, hardy, healthy, free-blooming, with a true rose fragrance.

INTER-STATE ROSE DUST

AN EXCELLENT DUST FOR ROSES

**Convenient to Use
Effective in Results
Economical in Price**

This Rose Dust contains the necessary chemicals for the control of fungus diseases such as Black Spot and Mildew, also aphids and leaf eaters. It is very easy to use as it comes in a handy dust gun ready to use, no mixing, no fuss, no bother. Clean, healthy foliage is essential to grow good roses, also other plants. We suggest that you follow a regular dusting schedule, starting early just as soon as the plants are fully leafed out. Dust often, dust regularly and dust thoroughly, keeping the plants healthy. You will be astonished at how much better a healthy plant blooms. Complete instructions on every package. Guaranteed satisfactory or money refunded. Though this dust is primarily intended for Roses, it is also effective on other plants.

**K150 2½ Pounds Dust and
Duster postpaid for \$1.50**

**K151 3 Pounds Dust
postpaid for \$1.50**

C73 Sir Henry Seagrave—The long pointed buds open into large, perfectly formed double flowers with high center. They are very fragrant and the color is a pleasing light primrose-yellow. These are exhibition blooms.

C72 Soeur (Sister) Therese—One of the best yellow roses. The flowers are a bright yellow with some petals edged carmine. The fragrant blooms come almost in candelabra effect. A healthy, vigorous, free-blooming bush.

C75 Talisman—A glorious combination of orange-yellow and rose-red. The buds are long pointed, flower is double, high centered. The fragrant flowers are freely produced all season and are especially fine for cutting as they come on long stems. The fall bloom is exceptionally gorgeous.

C77 The Doctor—This is considered by many to be the most beautifully colored of all roses. Mr. Fred Howard, the greatest living American rose hybridizer considers it to be one of his greatest achievements. The long, pointed buds open into simply enormous, yet graceful blooms, so fragrant that you can detect them many yards away. It is a pink with a life, an iridescence, a sheen that is beyond description. Each flower is so perfect, so gorgeous, that you will consider it almost priceless. It is far more beautiful than pictured on page 43.

Inter-State's Glads

We guarantee our Gladiolus bulbs to please you when you get them, ALSO WHEN THEY BLOOM. When you receive the bulbs, if you are not satisfied, return just one-half of them and we will refund all the money you paid us for all of them. Also when they bloom, if you are not delighted you may select from our catalog, without cost, anything you wish equal to the amount you paid us for the Glads. We take great care in selecting our varieties and list only the better, finer kinds. That is why we sell them by the millions, with countless thousands of satisfied customers from coast to coast.

We offer two sizes of bulbs. The Large includes bulbs $1\frac{1}{4}$ inches and all up. The Medium includes bulbs $\frac{3}{4}$ to $1\frac{1}{4}$ inches in diameter. We suggest that you plant some of both because the larger bulbs bloom first and the medium later on, thus giving you a longer blooming season. Keep the bulbs in a cool, dry place until the ground warms up in the spring. Then plant 5 to 6 inches deep and 6 to 9 inches apart. ALL GLADS ARE POSTPAID.

GLAD VARIETIES

G4 Abu Hassan—This new Glad is considered to be the finest dark violet-blue. Large flowers, fine stem. Extra fine. See page 56.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 35c 60c \$1.00 \$1.75
Medium. 25c 40c .70 1.25

G5 Bagdad—One of the finest Glads of all time. Very large flowers on extremely tall, heavy stems. A magnificent blend of old-rose, lilac, tinged with copper and salmon. See page 58.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large.... 25c 40c 70c \$1.25
Medium. 20c 30c 50c .80

G6 Barcarole—A new variety that many think is the finest orange. The flowers are large, beautifully ruffled; a shimmering orange with a delicate touch of salmon. See page 57.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 35c 60c \$1.00 \$1.75
Medium. 25c 40c .70 1.25

G7 Beacon—One of the most brilliantly colored Glads. In the garden and in a bouquet it adds "life." The beautifully ruffled flower is a vivid vermillion-scarlet with light yellow throat. See page 58.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 25c 40c 70c \$1.25
Medium. 20c 30c 50c .80

G12 Bit O'Heaven—Attractive deep orange with yellow throat. Tall straight stem. See page 58.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 25c 40c 70c \$1.25
Medium. 20c 30c 50c .80

G8 Black Opal—Many consider this the finest extremely dark red. The flowers are large and come on excellent long spikes. The color is a very deep maroon shaded black. See page 57.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 30c 50c 90c \$1.65
Medium. 20c 35c 65c 1.15

G9 Blaze—The brightest, most brilliant scarlet-red in our fields.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 30c 50c 90c \$1.65
Medium. 20c 35c 65c 1.15

G10 Blue Beauty—Rapidly becoming the most popular of its color in America. A wonderful even blue shading darker towards the edges. Large wide open flowers on strong stems. See page 57.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 30c 50c 90c \$1.65
Medium. 20c 35c 65c 1.15

G11 Brightside—A tall spike of lovely ruffled flowers of deep orange shaded bronze and gold. In a bouquet it is marvelous. See page 58.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 30c 50c 90c \$1.65
Medium. 20c 35c 65c 1.15

G14 Camellia—One of the most beautiful Glads in our entire list. Very large flowers on perfect stems. The color is a delicate pink on a creamy background. See page 58.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 30c 50c 90c \$1.65
Medium. 20c 35c 65c 1.15

G23 Casablanca—A new very fine white with the loveliest ruffled flowers. Stands lots of hot weather outside and lasts a long time when cut. When you see it, you will throw away your old whites. See page 56.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 35c 60c \$1.00 \$1.75
Medium. 25c 40c .70 1.25

G15 Chamouny—A new outstanding Glad. Large flowers on tall strong stems with many flowers open at once. Color is brilliant cerise-rose with a distinct lighter almost white edge. Especially fine. See page 56.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 35c 60c \$1.00 \$1.75
Medium. 25c 40c .70 1.25

G17 Chief Multnomah—A very striking flower, bluish with a chocolate suffusion and bright red blotch in the throat. Large flowers. See page 56.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 35c 60c \$1.00 \$1.75
Medium. 25c 40c .70 1.25

G18 Corona—This new Glad is one of the most beautiful ever grown. It is rapidly becoming one of the most popular in America. Large flowers of ivory-white edged pink on excellent spikes. The picture on page 56 falls far short of showing its actual beauty.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 30c 50c 90c \$1.65
Medium. 20c 35c 65c 1.15

Glad Color Parade

These are our best quality, medium size bulbs, not labeled. Guaranteed to bloom and please you. We include many of our finest like Valeria, Blue Beauty, Margaret Beaton, Black Opal, Corona, Marguerite, Beacon, White Gold, etc. This is a hand-picked selection, some so new they may never have been grown in your neighborhood before. Postpaid.

Many Different Colors of

Red	Yellow	Salmon	Scarlet
Purple	Pink	Lavender	Blush
Rose	Orange	Blue	Apricot
White	Maroon	Buff	Old Rose

Order Today Before They Are All Gone

8G88 30 Bulbs for \$1.00

8G105 100 Bulbs for \$3.00

G27 Elizabeth the Queen—This wonderful new variety is the finest lavender we ever saw. The flowers are large, beautifully ruffled and the most exquisite lavender color you could imagine. No matter how many you buy, you will wish that you had more. Everybody who sees it, wants it and we have reduced the price so thousands can have it. It is more beautiful than shown on page 55.

Each 3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 20c 50c 85c \$1.50
Medium. 15c 35c 60c 1.00

G26 Ethel Cave Cole—Without doubt this is one of the largest and best light pinks. The flowers are immense and the most pure, even shade of lovely clear light pink. Big spikes with 8 to 10 flowers open at once. See page 57.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 30c 50c 90c \$1.65
Medium. 20c 35c 65c 1.15

G36 Hawkeye Red—Originating in Iowa, this new fine red is becoming more and more popular. Very large flowers on tall strong stems. The color is a very bright red, does not fade.

Each 3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 25c 60c \$1.00 \$1.75
Medium. 20c 50c .85 1.35

G38 King Lear—A magnificent purple of large size and lustrous sheen, beautifully ruffled. See page 58.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 30c 50c 90c \$1.65
Medium. 20c 35c 65c 1.15

G40 Leading Lady—This new variety rates with the world's finest. Large perfect flowers on vigorous stems. The color is a rich creamy-white. Few glads have won as many Blue Ribbons. Now priced so thousands can enjoy it in their own garden. The picture on page 55 gives but an idea of its true beauty.

Each 3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 25c 60c \$1.00 \$1.75
Medium. 20c 50c .85 1.35

G45 Maid of Orleans—Popular White Glad. Produces a tall straight spike which opens perfectly. A warm white with a light creamy throat.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 25c 40c 70c \$1.25
Medium. 20c 30c 50c .80

G47 Margaret Fulton—The color is a rich, deep salmon. It blooms early and perfectly every year.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 25c 40c 70c \$1.25
Medium. 20c 30c 50c .80



Foursome Special

12 Margaret Beaton

12 Picardy

12 White Gold

8G116 All 48 Bulbs for \$3.50 \$2.45

Four of America's Greatest Glads

12 Stoplight Red

Large	Medium
BULBS	BULBS

De Luxe. Glads

8G89 **20 Bulbs for \$1.00**

EACH ONE DIFFERENT

In this collection, are exactly the same fine varieties as described on these pages, but they are not labeled. Each bulb is a different color. They are all large bulbs. What wonderful, beautiful flowers of all colors they will bring you this summer. When they bloom, you will easily recognize some of our finest like Blue Beauty, Picardy, White Gold, etc.

G46 Margaret Beaton—No new variety has created a greater sensation than this. Everyone who sees it, wants it. The spikes are tall and straight. The flowers are very large, pure snow-white with a vermillion spot in the throat. It is superb. See page 57.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 30c 50c 90c \$1.65
Medium. 20c 35c 65c 1.15

G52 Marguerite—One of the most attractive Glads ever created. Luscious ripe watermelon pink with a golden throat. The flowers are huge on strong stems. A glad out of thousands. You will be amazed and delighted. See it on page 56 but we promise you that in your garden it will be even more beautiful.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 45c 75c \$1.35 \$2.25
Medium. 35c 60c 1.00 1.65

G49 Minuet—For many years this has been the standard by which other lavenders are judged. Lavenders have come and gone, Minuet is still the most popular. See it on page 58.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 30c 50c 90c \$1.65
Medium. 20c 35c 65c 1.15

G44 Mother Kadel—One of the very finest new clear rich yellow flowers. See page 58.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 35c 60c \$1.00 \$1.75
Medium. 25c 40c .70 1.25

G53 Myrna—This new heavily ruffled white has won more blue ribbons in the last few years, than any other white. See page 57.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 30c 50c 90c \$1.65
Medium. 20c 35c 65c 1.15

G54 New Era—A delightful rich shade of LaFrance pink with soft creamy throat. The flowers are beautifully ruffled. See page 56.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 35c 60c \$1.00 \$1.75
Medium. 25c 40c .70 1.25

G56 New Europe—A new variety from Europe that is becoming very popular with the florists because of its fine spike of large, brilliant orange-scarlet flowers, with many open at once. See page 58.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 35c 60c \$1.00 \$1.75
Medium. 25c 40c .70 1.25

G55 Oregon Gold—We believe this is the finest light yellow Glad we have ever seen. The flowers are perfect in form, heavily ruffled on tall stems. Lasts unusually long time as a cut flower. See page 56 but we cannot picture its charming grace and loveliness.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 35c 60c \$1.00 \$1.75
Medium. 25c 40c .70 1.25

G58 Paradise—Tall fine spikes with lovely flowers of attractive apricot, tinged buff and shaded gold in the throat. Slightly ruffled.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 25c 40c 70c \$1.25
Medium. 20c 30c 50c .80

G59 Peggy Lou—Few varieties have won more blue ribbons than this. Tall spikes with lovely flowers of shrimp-pink tinged bright rose. Beautiful in the garden and fine for cutting. See page 58.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 25c 40c 70c \$1.25
Medium. 20c 30c 50c .80

G60 Pelegrina. A fine dark blue.
3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 30c 50c 90c \$1.65
Medium. 20c 35c 65c 1.15

G62 Picardy—America's most popular Glad. Wonderful flowers of light salmon-pink. See page 57.
3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 30c 50c 90c \$1.65
Medium. 20c 35c 65c 1.15

G64 Purple Supreme—A magnificent purple with many of the flowers open at once. It is a sure winner at the shows. Tall spike. You come back and look at it time and time again. It is a much richer purple than shown on page 55.
Each 3 for 6 for 12 for
Large... 25c 60c \$1.00 \$1.75
Medium. 20c 50c .85 1.35

G58 Red Phipps—A glowing shade of coral-red. Very fine cut-flower because this is a shade of red that blends beautifully with other colors. Blooms perfectly.
3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 25c 40c 70c \$1.25
Medium. 20c 30c 50c .80
Small..... .75

G69 Rewi Fallu—The most popular dark red. The flowers are very large on tall straight spikes. A deep, rich, velvety blood-red.
3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 30c 50c 90c \$1.65
Medium. 20c 35c 65c 1.15

G72 Robinson Crusoe—This is the most unusual colored gladiolus we have ever seen. It is a creation of that wizard of new glads and peonies, Mr. E. H. Lins. Everyone who saw it at our place last summer simply fell in love with it. The flowers are very large, beautifully ruffled, with 6 to 8 flowers open at once on a tall massive spike. No other glad in the world like it. The basic color is tan, heavily marbled with rosy-chocolate. The most unique Glad ever created, it is a sensation. We have only a few hundred for sale. See page 55.
Large..... Each \$1.25
Medium..... Each 1.00
Small..... Each .75

G70 Rosa Van Lima—This is another variety that everybody wants when they see it. Beautiful in the garden and especially fine for cutting. Large flowers on tall straight stems. The color is a pure, clear pink of such loveliness as is seldom seen. See page 58.
3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 30c 50c 90c \$1.65
Medium. 20c 35c 65c 1.15

G71 Ruffled Beauty—One of the very best yellows. The flowers are ruffled and the color is an even, clear, pure yellow.
3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 30c 50c 90c \$1.65
Medium. 20c 35c 65c 1.15

Here are just a few unsolicited letters. They tell better than we can what our customers think of Inter-State Glads.

"We purchased 108 of Inter-State's finest Blue Ribbon Glads and we wish you to know they are all of that and more. No one in our neighborhood has any such flowers."

JOHN M. BERRY, Indianapolis, Ind. July 9, 1947.

"I am writing to express our deep appreciation for your wonderful Glads. We sent to three different places for glad bulbs and yours far exceed any of the others."

MRS. MILTON DEMORANVILLE, Mass. August 9, 1947.

"I won first prize on a basket of glads at our County Fair last year on glads I have been getting from you the last two years. Also first on a small basket of glads for table decorations."

MRS. HOWARD LEWIS, Connersville, Ind. March 25, 1947.

"The Glads I ordered last spring have been wonderful. Please be sure and send a spring catalog so I can order some more."

MYRTLE HUTTING, Carson City, Mich. Oct. 1, 1947.

"I wish to tell you how pleased I was with the gladiolus special I got from you last year, the 100 for \$3.00. I had gorgeous blooms and picked my last bouquet on Oct. 10th."

DORIS E. SHEPARDSON, Ansley, Nebr. Jan. 10, 1947.

"I wish to write a few words to tell you about the glad bulbs I received from you last year. They were beautiful and I was so proud of them. I took them to church and gave lots away. Everybody that saw them thought they were the most beautiful they had ever seen grown in a garden. I love flowers and enjoy giving them to others and your flowers, all I have received, have been lovely."

MRS. W. R. McMICHAEL, Monroe, Ind. March 15, 1947.

"The daily bouquet of Gladiolus in the cafeteria where I lunched this summer were the prettiest and I discovered the bulbs came from your nursery."

SOPHIA GAUTHIER, Kansas City, Mo. Feb. 27, 1947.

"Just a line to tell you folks how beautiful your glads are. They are simply gorgeous."

MRS. FRED MILNER, Topeka, Kansas. July 30, 1947.



Cut Flower Special

Here are 3 varieties exceptionally fine for cutting and priced so that you can plant freely and have beautiful flowers for weeks by making several plantings 2 weeks apart.

12 Peggy Lou 12 Red Phipps 12 Sweetheart

LARGE MEDIUM

8G117 All 36 Bulbs for \$1.50 \$1.15

G75 Snow Princess—Many think this the finest white. Very tall strong spikes with immense flowers of pure snow-white. See page 58.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 30c 50c 90c \$1.65
Medium. 20c 35c 65c 1.15

G77 Sweetheart—One of the most charming of all Glads, especially fine for cutting. Beautiful light pink with white throat, nicely frilled and ruffled. A bouquet in itself.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 25c 40c 70c \$1.25
Medium. 20c 30c 50c .80

G73 Spotlight Yellow—Now and then a new variety is created which seems to stand head and shoulders above everything else. Here is just such a Glad. Large blooms of perfect form. The color is a clean, clear, yet brilliant yellow with small red mark in the throat which greatly enhances its beauty. See it on page 55.

Each 3 for
Large \$1.00, \$2.50
Medium 65c, 1.50

G78 Stoplight Red—here is a red that does stop you and it shows up like a lighthouse beacon on a dark night. It is called the perfect red. Tall straight spikes with large exquisitely ruffled flowers of rich velvety crimson. The picture on page 56 cannot show its texture or rich color. We have reduced prices so many thousands can enjoy it in their own garden.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 45c 75c \$1.35 \$2.25
Medium. 35c 60c 1.00 1.65

G82 Valeria—This is rapidly becoming the florists' favorite red because it does so well, produces such fine spikes of a satisfying scarlet-red color. Big tall spikes with many flowers open at once. Without doubt this is one of the very best reds. See page 57.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 35c 60c \$1.00 \$1.75
Medium. 25c 40c .70 1.25

G84 White Gold—When this blooms in your garden, you will call over the neighbors. The size is huge, the color is a satiny cream shading to gold. It has certainly created a sensation since its introduction. Few new glads have made such a record. We think every Glad we list is beautiful but here is one that not only is beautiful, it is impressive, it is amazing, it is astonishing. The picture on page 57 gives but a glimpse of its true appearance.

3 for 6 for 12 for 25 for
Large... 35c 60c \$1.00 \$1.75
Medium. 25c 40c .70 1.25



Each of these five superb Glads is the finest of its color. As the supply becomes available, they will be grown by the millions. Large flowers 4 to 6 inches across. Described on pages 52, 53, and 54. POSTPAID.

SPOTLIGHT SPECIAL

3 Elizabeth the Queen

3 Purple Supreme

3 Leading Lady

8G122

All 9 Bulbs for

**Large
Bulbs**

**Medium
Bulbs**

\$1.65

\$1.25

FREE! 1 Spotlight Yellow medium Bulb with each Collection

6 Elizabeth the Queen

6 Purple Supreme

6 Leading Lady

8G124

All 18 Bulbs for

**Large
Bulbs**

**Medium
Bulbs**

\$2.85

\$2.25

FREE! 1 Spotlight Yellow Large Bulb with each Collection

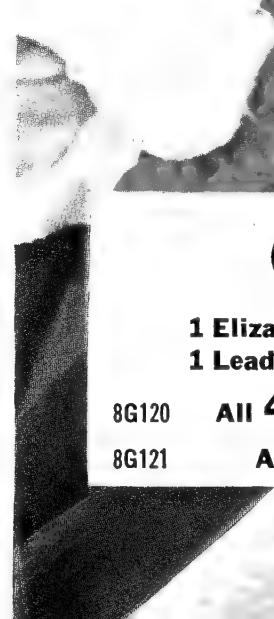
**1 Elizabeth the Queen
1 Leading Lady**

**1 Purple Supreme
1 Spotlight Yellow**

8G120 All 4, Large Bulbs, postpaid for \$1.25

8G121 All 4, Medium Bulbs for 75c postpaid

Queen Special





INTER-STATE'S FAMOUS
Blue Ribbon Glads

1. Chief Multnomah 4. Corona 7. Stoplight Red
2. New Era 5. Marguerite 8. Oregon Gold
3. Abu Hassan 6. Casablanca 9. Chamouny

These are nine of the newer, finest Glads in America, some of which cost 20c to 25c each just last year. Prize winners at the shows, magnificent in the garden and exceptionally fine for cutting. Big flowers, 5 to 6 inches across on strong tall stems. Described on pages 52, 53 and 54. Postpaid.

		Large Bulbs	Medium Bulbs
8G96	108 Bulbs (12 each of all 9 varieties).....	\$7.85	\$4.95
8G95	54 Bulbs (6 each of all 9 varieties).....	4.25	2.75
8G94	27 Bulbs (3 each of all 9 varieties).....	2.35	1.50

	LARGE BULBS	MEDIUM BULBS
8G100	54 Bulbs for \$4.00	\$2.60
	3 each of all 18 varieties on pages 56 and 57	



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10. Picardy**11. White Gold****12. Barcarole**

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13. Margaret Beaton**14. Valeria****15. Ethel Cave Cole**

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16. Blue Beauty**17. Myrna****18. Black Opal**

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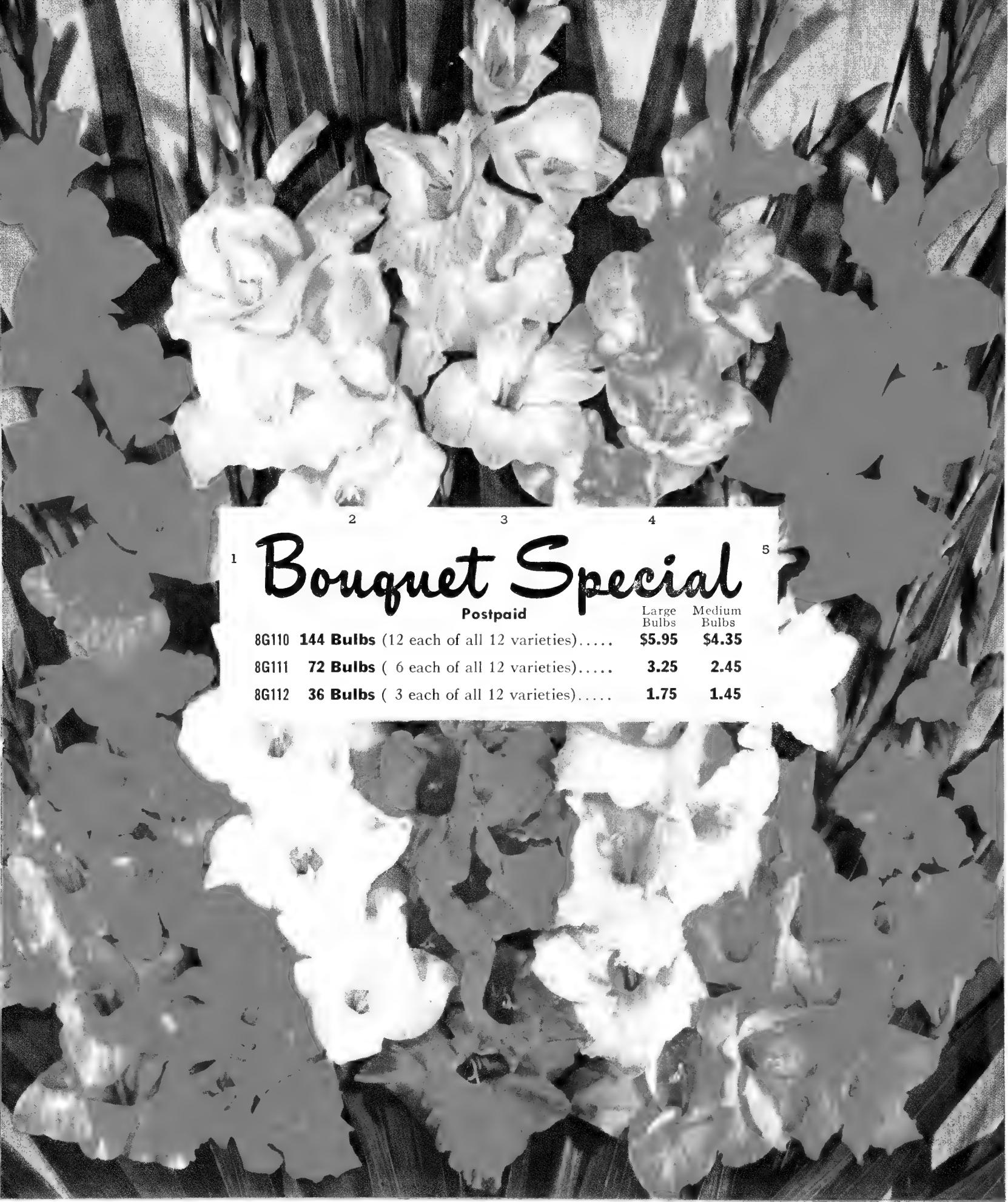
Here are 9 more of America's finest Glads, every one a prize winner. These Glad pages are made from color photographs but it is impossible to reproduce their actual beauty, gorgeous colors. The flowers are large, 4 to 6 inches across. Described on pages 52, 53 and 54. Postpaid.

		Large Bulbs	Medium Bulbs
8G99	108 Bulbs (12 each of all 9 varieties)	\$7.25	\$4.65
8G98	54 Bulbs (6 each of all 9 varieties)	3.85	2.50
8G97	27 Bulbs (3 each of all 9 varieties)	2.15	1.35

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8G101	LARGE BULBS	MEDIUM BULBS
108	Bulbs for \$7.45	\$4.75
6 each of all 18 varieties on pages 56 and 57		



Bouquet Special

Postpaid

		Large Bulbs	Medium Bulbs
8G110	144 Bulbs (12 each of all 12 varieties).....	\$5.95	\$4.35
8G111	72 Bulbs (6 each of all 12 varieties).....	3.25	2.45
8G112	36 Bulbs (3 each of all 12 varieties).....	1.75	1.45

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FAMOUS BOUQUET GLADS

These are twelve beautiful gladiolus especially selected to give a wide range of colors in the garden and to make lovely bouquets. The flowers are much larger than pictured, being 4 to 6 inches across. See pages 52, 53 and 54 for complete descriptions.

- 1. **Bit O'Heaven**, orange
- 2. **Rosa van Lima**, pink
- 3. **Minuet**, lavender

- 4. **Peggy Lou**, rose
- 5. **New Europe**, red
- 6. **Mother Kadel**, yellow

- 7. **Beacon**, scarlet
- 8. **Snow Princess**, white
- 9. **King Lear**, purple

- 10. **Camellia**, blush
- 11. **Bagdad**, smoky
- 12. **Brightside**, gold

Grow Prize Dahlias

GIANT DAHLIAS

These are three of America's outstanding Dahlias, all of them Honor Roll Winners. They have huge flowers of brilliant colors. Our supply is so limited we dare not show them in colors or we would not have enough. They are real Blue Ribbon winners and will make your garden a center of attraction.

B8 **Carl G. Dahl**—One of the greatest winners of all large modern exhibition dahlias. Huge flowers 12 inches across with slightly curved, large petals of apricot shaded old rose on reverse of petals. **Each \$1.25**

B5 **Daddy Kemp**—Immense flowers up to 14 inches across and 5 to 6 inches deep of striking purple. **Each \$1.00**

B9 **Monarch of the East**—Probably the strongest grower of all dahlias. Huge 12-inch flowers of orange-buff with slight copper-red on reverse. **Each \$1.25**

GIANT SPECIAL

BB29 Two Each Above 3 Dahlias for \$4.75
BB30 One Each Above 3 Dahlias for \$2.75



Dahlias are the largest and most beautifully colored of all the late summer and fall flowers. Easy to grow, we send simple planting instructions with every order. For exhibition, nip off the side branches allowing only a few main stems to grow. For lots of flowers, nip the ends of the main shoots when only a foot or so tall, making them branch. A young, small to medium-size bulb will do much better than a large, sappy, over-grown bulb. Even though Dahlias are planted late, we suggest that you order them early. They will keep perfectly in a moderately cool place, until planting time. ALL DAHLIAS ARE POSTPAID.

POPULAR DAHLIAS

These fine varieties have helped make dahlias so popular in millions of gardens all over America. In fact, these are today the most popular kinds and they well deserve to be because of their large, beautiful flowers which are produced so abundantly.

B6 **Avalon**—Perfect flowers of rich yellow. **Each 40c**

B10 **Jane Cowl**—America's favorite, with its large flowers of bronzy buff shaded salmon. **Each 50c**

B12 **Jersey Beauty**—Most popular pink. **Each 40c**

B15 **Mrs. Boutillier**—Without question, this is greatest of all reds. Huge crimson flowers. **Each 50c**

B16 **Mrs. Warner**—Most popular lavender. **Each 40c**

B13 **White Wonder**—Very large white. **Each 40c**

POPULAR SPECIAL

BB33 Two Each Above 6 Dahlias for \$3.15
BB32 One Each Above 6 Dahlias for \$1.75

Mixed Collection

These dahlias, all different, are not labeled. If you want beautiful flowers and do not care to know the names (many will recognize choice varieties), this is a very good offer. We include many kinds of which we do not have enough to list, many very fine.

B831 5 for \$1.00 Postpaid

Button Dahlias

These Button (Pompon) Dahlias have small flowers $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches across, perfect in form. Produced continuously for many weeks. Beautiful in the garden, fine for cutting. You will like the rich, glowing colors. The bulbs are smaller than the larger flowered varieties but it is astonishing how freely they bloom.

B84 MIXED COLORS, Postpaid

Each 30c, 4 for \$1.00

These are also called Ball dahlias. They are small, 2 to 3 inches across. Tremendous bloomers, from early in the season to frost. The flowers come singly on long stems, attractive in the garden and especially fine for cutting. Every day, in season, you can cut a bouquet. The colors are so clean, bright and cheerful, and blend beautifully. Plant them freely, you will be richly rewarded.

Your Choice

Alike or Assorted

Postpaid

B36 Pink

B37 Red

B39 Yellow

B41 Purple

Show Dahlias

8 for \$1.75

4 for \$1.00

Each 35c

BB40 One each of all 4 colors for \$1.00 Postpaid



America's Finest Peonies

We are one of America's largest peony growers and critical buyers have told us that we produce the finest peony plants they ever saw. Our soil is especially adapted to the growing of fine peonies. They can be planted in the spring as well as in the fall because the roots we send you this spring were dug last fall. Plant them 3 to 4 feet apart, just barely covering the eyes with soil. They prefer a sunny location.

Inter-State's Giant Peonies

We grow over 300 varieties of Peonies. It is impossible for us to list all of them. So when we dug them last fall, we separated them by color and sold them by color. We have never offered a collection that sold so well. It should sell well because in this collection we actually include varieties that should sell as high as \$1.50 each. All have big double flowers, up to 8 inches or more across. When they bloom, you will agree that just one is worth the cost of all.

8P605

Giant Peony Collection

2 Fine Pink Peonies
2 Fine White Peonies

All 4 for only \$2.00
Postpaid

All are large, double Peonies and
worth much more.

FINE VARIETIES

P524 **Couronne D'Or**—Late. Often called the Crown of Gold Peony because the center of the snow-white flower is lighted from within by a ring of golden stamens. Large, fully double, very free-flowering.
Each \$60

P639 **Grace Batson**—Midseason. This is the largest-flowered Peony we grow. Perfectly huge rounded blooms shaped like a mammoth chrysanthemum, a deep pink color. Strong stems. Never fails to create a sensation. **Each \$2.00**

P630 **Evening Star**—Late. Rates 9.50. This is one of the highest rated of all white peonies. It is snow-white with sometimes a crimson edge on a center petal or two. The form is absolutely perfect, just as though each petal were placed by hand. It is new and scarce. Those who take pride in having in their garden the very finest varieties will want this and we assure you that you will have one of the world's finest. Peonies live for generations so the cost per year is very small. **Each \$5.00**

P661 **Marietta Sisson**—Early. Rates 9.02. This is the first pink peony to bloom in our fields. The flowers are very large, a glowing pink and completely cover the entire bush so that you can hardly see any foliage. It is our best real early pink. **Each \$1.00**

P679 **Queen of Hamburg**—Midseason. Rates 8.96 and we think will go higher. One of the largest flowers we have yet so perfectly proportioned that you do not realize its size. The color is a rich rosy-pink that does not fade. It will thrill you. **Each \$2.50**

P686 **Solange**. Late. Rates 9.27. At its best it is unbeatable and for many years has been considered as one of America's greatest peonies. Huge rounded flowers of perfect shape, creamy white with a suffusion of buff and light salmon. **Each \$1.00**

Inter-State's Hardy Perennials for Shady Spots

Lily-of-the-Valley

P193 Everybody loves these delightfully fragrant white flowers. They thrive in full shade on the north side of your home against the wall where few plants will live. They also do just as well right out in the full sun. We send you clumps of 5 to 7 Pips which will bloom this season and increase in beauty each year.

Postpaid, 3 Clumps for \$1.00, Each 40c

P192 **Parson's Giant Lily-of-the-Valley**—This is a rather rare strain coming originally from Sweden. It is a very prolific bloomer with larger bells on taller stems. The fragrant white flowers are followed by small orange-red berries. Thrives in the shade where few other plants will live. Our supply of these is limited. We send you clumps of 6 to 8 pips.

Postpaid 3 Clumps for \$1.25, Each 50c

SHADY SPECIAL

2 Lily of the Valley Clumps

2 Fancy Leaf Caladiums

1 Lady Fern

1 American Maidenhair Fern

8P133 All 6 for \$1.65 postpaid

Fancy-leaved Caladium

B59 For a continuous foliage display from late spring to frost, no other plant equals these. They are easy to grow, thrive in partial, almost full shade. In the fall before freezing weather dig and store them like cannas. Or you can pot them for winter bloom indoors. This is a fine mixture with leaves of many different colors.

Postpaid 3 for \$1.00, Each 35c



HARDY FERNS

Many ask us "What can I plant in shady places?" Among the very best, are these Hardy Ferns. They thrive in the shade. That is their natural home. Perfectly hardy, they come up year after year.

P120 **American Maidenhair**—Fine on north side. Grows a foot tall.

P121 **Hayscented**—Grows in semi-sunny places as well as shade. 12 to 18 inches tall.

P122 **Interrupted**—Good for foundation planting in shade or part-shade. 2 to 4 feet tall.

P123 **Lady**—Pictured. Likes the shade. 1 to 2 feet tall.

P124 **Ostrich Plume**—Especially fine for a shady, rather moist spot. 2 to 4 feet tall.

YOUR CHOICE ABOVE FERNS POSTPAID

5 for \$1.40

3 for 90c

Each 35c



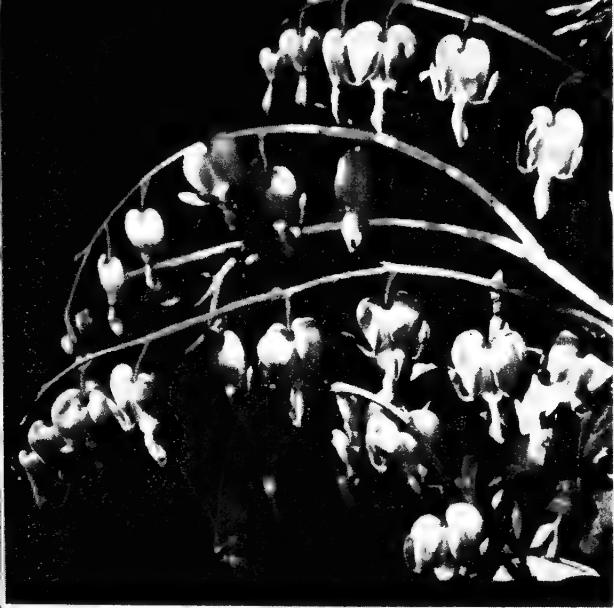
TUBEROSE, Sweet Scented

B299 Flower spikes 30 to 36 inches tall, with very fragrant, waxy-white flowers from July to frost. Very fine cut flower as a single spike will perfume a room. Often 20 or more flowers on a single plant. Grows in full sun or part shade. Plant the bulbs outdoors after all danger of frost is over and the ground has become warm, covering with 2 inches of soil. For earlier blooms, you can start them indoors in pots and transplant outdoors when danger of frost has passed. They are attractive in the border and excellent for cutting.

No. 1 Bulbs, Postpaid

3 for 35c, 6 for 60c, 12 for \$1.00

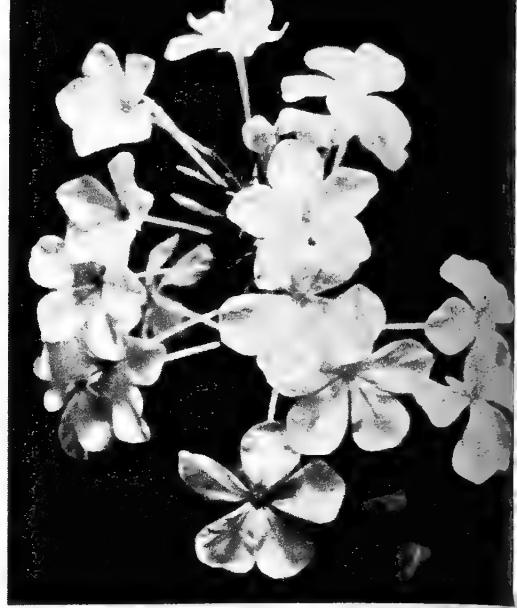




Bleeding Heart



Pyrethrum



Plumbago

Inter-State's Hardy Perennials for Lasting Beauty

P58 Bleeding Heart—A favorite in Grandmother's garden half a century ago, it is equally popular today. Grows 2 feet tall. Thrives in partial shade, but will grow in full sun. Attractive foliage. Graceful heart-shaped pink flowers in April-May. The plant becomes larger, more beautiful, each passing year. Postpaid.

Each 60c

P241 Pyrethrum (Painted Daisy)—This is the superb Robinson strain, the finest we know. The flowers are larger and brighter colored, the most gorgeous reds, fine pinks and pure whites, all mixed to blend beautifully. Long stems fine for cutting. Blooms profusely in the spring and early summer. Grows about 24 inches tall. We are making a very special price so that you can plant them freely. Postpaid.

12 for \$1.85, 6 for \$1.00, 3 for 60c

See Page 3 for Free Premiums

HARDY CARNATIONS

P76 These are becoming popular because they are not only lovely in the garden but are fine for cutting. The flowers are very fragrant and come on long stems. Bloom freely in early summer and at intervals thereafter. Grow 18 to 20 inches tall. They are hardy but in cold sections, we recommend a light winter mulch to prevent alternate freezing and thawing. Postpaid.

Mixed Colors 4 for \$1.00, Each 35c

**Your Choice
Red, Pink, White or Yellow
3 for \$1.00, Each 40c**

Hardy Carnations



PLUMBAGO

A strikingly beautiful blue flower

P239 Visitors to our nurseries always ask us the name of this plant as they see the long rows across the field. The open flowers are a rich blue, the tiny buds a bronzy-red, giving the entire plant a beautiful and unusual appearance. It is always in bloom from July almost to frost. For an edging plant or a low-growing (it grows only 6 to 8 inches tall) solid bed, it simply cannot be beat. Postpaid. **3 for \$1.00, Each 35c**

HOLLYHOCKS

FOR A COLORFUL BACKGROUND

This is a magnificent strain with fully double flowers of exquisite colors. They are becoming more and more popular as people are finding out how attractive they are. Growing 4 to 5 feet tall, they are very useful in the background of the perennial plantings. Postpaid.

Your Choice

P166 Black	P171 Red
P169 Orange	P174 White
P170 Pink	P175 Yellow

8 for \$1.85, 4 for \$1.00 Each 35c

SP176

Hollyhock Special

5
for

\$1.00

Mixed Colors

Postpaid

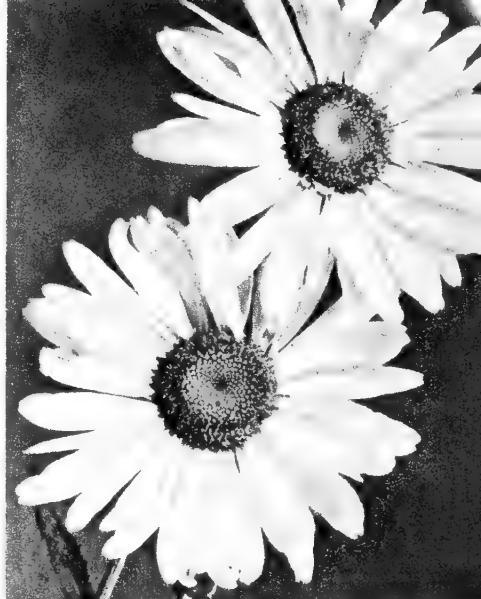




Mertensia, Blue Bells



Dianthus, Little Joe



Shasta Daisy, Alaska Supreme

MERTENSLA, Blue Bells

P209 Their blue and pink flowers are so attractive in the early spring. Once planted they come up year after year without any care. After they are through blooming, the tops die down until the following spring. They do best in shady spots, among the shrubs, perennials, in little nooks. Plant them 2 to 3 inches deep. Thrives practically everywhere.

Postpaid 5 for \$1.00, Each 25c

**See Page 3 for
Free Premiums**

GOLDEN SHOWER

P85 Coreopsis Golden Shower is one of the best hardy new perennials. The bright yellow star-like flowers, 1 to 1½ inches across, are produced right through the hottest summer weather. The bright green, feathery foliage is attractive in itself. It makes a neat, bushy plant 18 to 24 inches tall that will brighten up a dull corner and add color to a border. Does well in full sun or part shade in ordinary garden soil. Try it at our risk, if you do not like it, you may select anything else you wish to the same value.

Postpaid 3 for \$1.25, Each 50c

Golden Shower



DIANTHUS, Little Joe

P112 This is one of our choicest hardy low-growing perennials. It makes a compact, bushy plant only 6 inches tall with handsome blue-green foliage. The rosy-red flowers, 1 inch across, are produced from late spring to freezing. Excellent for borders, foreground and rock gardens.

Postpaid 3 for \$1.25, Each 50c

DELPHINIUMS

P100 Cliveden Beauty—Many think this is the finest of all light blue flowers. Grows 3 to 4 feet tall and after the first great burst of bloom in early summer, it repeats at intervals. A healthy grower that lasts for many years. Lovely in the garden and very fine for cutting.

Postpaid 4 for \$1.00, Each 35c

P101 La Martine—This fine plant should be in every garden. The rich dark blue flowers are so lovely in the garden and for cutting. A great mass of flowers in early summer and at intervals all summer. When you cut a flower spike, another grows out to bloom later on. A healthy grower, 4 feet or so tall, lasts for years.

Postpaid 4 for \$1.00, each 35c

P102 Pacific Hybrids—The individual flowers are very large, often 2½ inches across on spikes 3 to 4 feet long. The colors range from white, sky-blue to deep blue, purple, violet and exquisite shades of orchid-pink. The plants grow 5 to 7 feet tall. Cut the stems after the first great burst of bloom and they will repeat.

Postpaid 4 for \$1.00, Each 35c

DELPHINIUM SPECIAL

3 Cliveden Beauty

3 La Martine

3 Pacific Hybrids

8P103

All 9 for \$1.75

Postpaid

SHASTA DAISY, ALASKA SUPREME

P276 We consider this the hardiest and best Shasta Daisy. The flowers are very large, 4 to 5 inches across on stems nearly 2 feet long, fine for cutting. Blooms from spring to fall. The more you cut, the more it blooms.

Postpaid 3 for \$1.25, Each 50c

P275 Shasta Daisy, Conqueror—This is a good Shasta Daisy with large single flowers, pure white with golden center. Grows 2 feet tall with long stems fine for cutting. Very free bloomer in late spring and early summer.

Postpaid 4 for \$1.00, Each 35c

Delphiniums

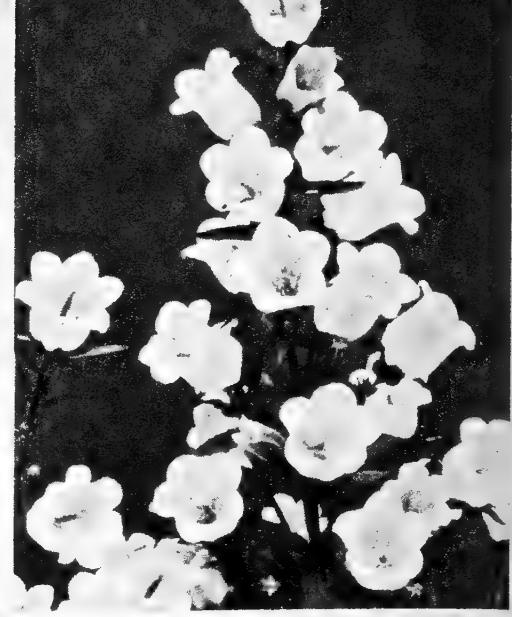




Dianthus, Spring Beauty



Gypsophila (Baby's Breath)



Canterbury Bells

P113 Dianthus, Spring Beauty—Large very fragrant, carnation-like flowers of many lovely colors. Blooms for weeks in the spring. 15 inches tall.

P155 Dianthus, Everblooming Red—The brilliant scarlet-crimson flowers are produced all summer. 12 inches tall.

P40 Aster, Lilac Time—Grows only 15 inches tall and is a perfect mound of violet-blue flowers in early fall.

P151 Gypsophila, Oldhamiana—Great masses of small light pink flowers August to frost. Lovely in the garden, very fine for cutting. 2½ feet tall.

P150 Gypsophila, Pan. (Baby's Breath) Completely covered with small white flowers in July-August. In the garden and in bouquets, it gives an airy effect no other flower can give. 2 to 3 feet tall.

P140 Gaillardia, Burgundy—Large red flowers, right through the heat of summer. Grows even in poor soil. 2 feet tall.

P64 Canterbury Bells — In May-June completely covered with bell-shaped flowers. 2 feet tall. Your choice of Blue, Pink or White.

**Postpaid Prices on All Perennials
on this Page except Iris.**

2 for 60c, 4 for \$1.00



Hans P. Sass

Famous Sass Iris

We secured direct from the Sass gardens

The Sass's needed room in their Iris gardens. They phoned us asking if we would use some. Indeed we could and these are the very Iris we offer you in this collection. Iris people know that the Sass's are no doubt the best known Iris Hybridizers today in all America. They have created new colors, new blends, Iris that made the older kinds seem dull and common. It was impossible to keep these Iris separate so we have combined them into a grand assortment, the colors ranging from snow-white to deepest purple, through many shades of blue, yellow, pink, red, and the most lovely blends. We cannot tell you what colors you will get but we do assure you that every one will be beautiful and guarantee them to please you.

**8P418 7 Famous Sass Iris for
only \$1.00 Postpaid
These were grown in the
Sass gardens**

SELECTED IRIS

Here is an opportunity to get 3 selected Iris at a very low price. We unconditionally guarantee them to please you when they bloom.

P437 California Gold. Bright golden yellow. **Each 40c**

P444 Cheerio. Brilliant flowers of vivid red. **Each 40c**

P423 Claribel. Large snow-white flowers, edges stitched in blue. **Each 40c**

P438 Indian Hills. An outstanding, rich, gorgeous purple that brightens the entire garden. **Each 40c**

SELECTED IRIS SPECIAL

1 California Gold

1 Cheerio

1 Claribel

1 Indian Hills

8P408 All 4 for \$1.00 Postpaid

SEE PAGE 69 FOR MORE IRIS

NEWER, FINER IRIS

Only a short time back, any one of these Iris would have cost more than we now ask for all five. When they bloom you will realize how much better they are than the older kinds. Each flower will give you a thrill. The flowers are large, the colors are more beautiful, better form, and the plants are more vigorous. POSTPAID.

FP422 Anita. Exquisitely beautiful is this frosty light blue and it does not fade in the hottest sun. It sparkles as though sprinkled with diamond dust. **Each 50c**

FP459 Golden Majesty. Experts rate this the finest medium priced golden yellow. Large flowers of perfect shape that do not fade. **Each 75c**

FP448 Lighthouse. Correctly named, the golden center of this bright rosy pink flower lights up the entire flower like a beacon. Extra fine. **Each 75c**

FP465 The Red Douglas. Without doubt one of the greatest red Iris. Large flowers proudly carried on tall, well branched stalks. Each opening flower is an exciting event. Won Dykes Medal in 1941. **Each \$1.00**

FP412 Tiffany. Its introduction was a tremendous sensation because it was so different from all other Iris. The large, gaily colored flowers are ruffled, rich cream dotted and edged with bronzy pinkish maroon. **Each 50c**

8P407 LIGHTHOUSE SPECIAL

**One each of the 5 Iris
listed above for only \$2³⁵**

LOVELY
FALL - BLOOMING
Asters

**HARDY ASTER
SPECIAL**

- 1 Beechwood Challenger
- 1 Blue Gown
- 1 Harrington's Pink
- 1 Mount Everest
- 1 Violetta

8P30 All 5 for \$2.00
Postpaid



Violetta	Harrington's	Mount	Blue	Beechwood
Pink	Everest	Gown	Gown	Challenger

P31 **Beechwood Challenger**—The best red hardy aster. Grows 3 feet tall. Postpaid..... **3 for \$1.00**, Each 40c

P32 **Blue Gown**—The finest light blue. Grows 3½ to 4 feet tall. Postpaid..... **3 for \$1.00**, Each 40c

P34 **Harrington's Pink**—The finest pink. Grows 4 to 5 feet tall. Postpaid..... **3 for \$1.25**, Each 50c

P35 **Mount Everest**—The best white. Grows 3½ to 4 feet tall. Postpaid..... **3 for \$1.25**, Each 50c

P37 **Violetta**—The finest deep blue-violet. Grows 3 feet tall. Postpaid..... **3 for \$1.25**, Each 50c

FLAME



Best, Hardy Red Carnations

P69 **Flame**—Improved Crimson King, grows 18 to 24 inches tall and blooms constantly from June to frost, as many as 30 flowers open at once. The beautiful crimson flowers are fragrant and fine for cutting. They will grow in sun or part shade. Will start blooming just a few weeks after planting. We have an unusually fine strain of this variety.

Postpaid **3 for \$1.15, 6 for \$1.95**, Each 50c

ROSE UNIQUE

P70 This is the best Hardy Pink Carnation we have seen. The lovely, fragrant, pink flowers are produced from June to frost on 15-inch stems, fine for cutting. A bed of Rose Unique and Flame will give you flowers all summer.

Postpaid
3 for \$1.15, 6 for \$1.95,
Each 50c

**FLAME
SPECIAL**
2 Flame
1 Rose Unique
8P71
All 3 for \$1.15
Postpaid

Plant Inter-State Lilies this Spring



Regal Lily

ESTATE, New Hardy Easter Lily

B66 Yes, this is a new, beautiful pure white Lily exactly like the greenhouse-grown Lilies which sell at Easter time for \$2.50 to \$5.00 potted. But this Estate Lily is hardy and thrives outdoors excepting in the very coldest states. The large flowers are 5 to 6 inches long, trumpet-shaped, pure white and delightfully fragrant. Grows 2½ to 3 feet tall and blooms right after the Regal Lily. Plant in a well-drained spot, preferably in partial shade, 8 to 9 inches deep (in heavy soil only 6 to 7 inches). A light winter mulch is beneficial. Estate is hardier than the Croft Lily. We are making special low prices so many thousands can enjoy in their own garden this magnificent new Lily. They will bloom this summer, the larger bulbs producing more flowers. POSTPAID.

Selected Bulbs, **Each 50c, 3 for \$1.35, 6 for \$2.50**

Standard Bulbs, **Each 40c, 3 for 1.00, 6 for .1.85**

Smaller Bulbs, **Each 30c, 5 for 1.00**

Crimson Beauty Lily



REGAL, America's Favorite Lily

for Late Spring and Early Summer Bloom

B85 This is America's favorite hardy Lily. Most of you know it and realize that the picture at the left does not begin to do justice to this great Lily. They are useful in so many different spots. They have a distinctive beauty that is found in few flowers. Just plant them 7 or 8 inches deep in well drained, ordinary soil, in a sunny or partially shaded location. They will come up year after year, multiplying and giving you more and more flowers each passing year. Blooms in June-July on stems 3 to 4 feet tall. After it is established it is nothing uncommon to have great clusters of 15, 20, even 25 flowers on a stem. The exquisite flowers, much larger than pictured, are fragrant, snow-white with a golden throat and tinged pink on the outside.

These are very fine large bulbs and will bloom beautifully this summer. Our prices are low, so you can plant them freely. You never get too many. POSTPAID.

NEW LOW PRICES ON REGAL LILIES

25 for \$3.50

6 for \$1.00

12 for 1.85

3 for .65

Estate Lily below



CRIMSON BEAUTY

B80 The striking flowers of this fine Lily are much larger than pictured. The color is distinctive, a rich crimson with a touch of copper. Blooms freely in early summer, in upright clusters, on stems 18 to 20 inches tall. After it is established, it is nothing unusual to have twenty-five flowers on a single stem. Very easy to grow, thrives everywhere, comes up year after year and lasts a lifetime. POSTPAID.

3 for \$1.00; Each 40c

for Summer Garden Beauty!

PHILIPPINE LILY

For Late Summer and Fall Bloom

B83 Never since it was introduced a few years ago, have we had enough bulbs to supply the demand for this fine Lily. It is so easy to grow and sure to bloom. The lovely, fragrant, white flowers are large, 7 to 8 inches long, on strong stems 4 to 6 feet tall. Blooms for many weeks, from late summer to frost. Beautiful in the garden and fine for cutting. POSTPAID.

6 for \$2.00; 3 for \$1.15; Each 50c

RED CORAL LILY (*Tenuifolium*)

B84 Their small, fragrant, bright scarlet flowers highlight the garden in late spring and early summer. Grows 18 inches or so tall, thrives everywhere. Plant a dozen or more. They are attractive, especially fine for out-of-the-way nooks, not too shady, where larger flowers would be out of place. The bulbs are small but they are sure to bloom this summer. Plant 5 or 6 inches deep. Perfectly hardy, come up year after year. POSTPAID.

6 for \$1.00; 3 for 60c; Each 25c

8B76 ALL WHITE LILY SPECIAL

**2 Estate, Standard 2 Philippine
2 Regal**

All 6 for \$1.35 Postpaid

Below, Rubrum Lily



Philippine Lily

8B77 GARDENER'S DREAM SPECIAL

**6 Regal Lilies
6 Estate, Standard**

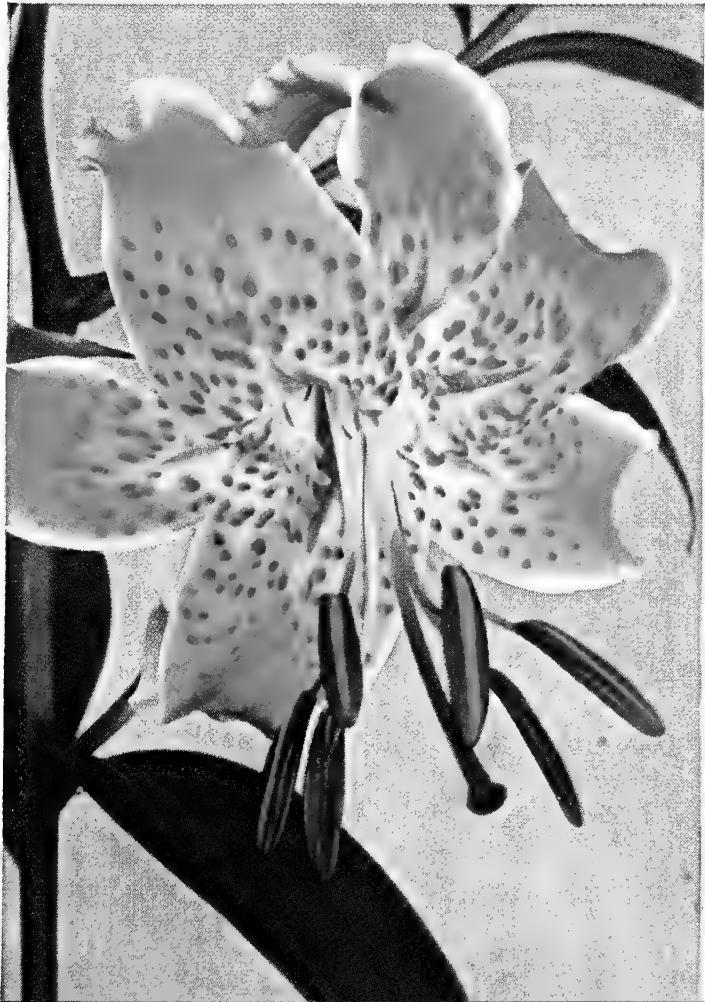
All 12 for \$2.50 Postpaid

RUBRUM LILY

B65 Many think this the loveliest of all Lilies. The flowers are bright pink edged white. Bloom in August and September on stems 3 to 4 feet tall. It is perfectly hardy. Plant 7 to 8 inches deep and it will come up year after year, multiplying and increasing in beauty each passing year. Rubrum adds a touch of color to your garden, blending perfectly with other colors. Remember that all lilies like a well-drained location, either in full sun or partial shade. Neutral peat moss (see page 33) mixed with the soil when planting is beneficial. POSTPAID.

3 for \$2.25

Each 85c



Hardy Lily Special

**8B71
1 Crimson Beauty
1 Estate, Standard
1 Philippine
1 Red Coral
1 Regal**

All 5 for \$1.00

Postpaid



Columbine

P78 This color photograph gives you a glimpse of the beauty of these Columbine (Aquilegia). They are even more beautiful in the garden as they nod gracefully in the breezes. The colors are so rich, so clear, so exquisitely lovely and they blend perfectly. They bring to your garden or a bouquet, a "fairy" touch that no other flower can give. The flowers are much larger than pictured, up to 3 inches across with spurs 4 to 5 inches long. They come up year after year, growing 2 to 3 feet tall and

blooming so generously in the spring. They thrive in any ordinary soil and prefer a partially shaded spot where they are protected from the hot afternoon sun.

Now you can get these lovely Columbine in separate colors to get just the color effect you want. Our field-grown plants will bloom this season. POSTPAID.

Your Choice of the Following Colors:

Blue	Red	White
Pink	Yellow	Copper

7 for \$2.00, 3 for \$1.00, Each 40c

8P79

COLUMBINE SPECIAL

A very fine mixture of all the lovely Columbine colors.

10 for \$2.25

4 for \$1.00

Each 30c
POSTPAID



CREEPING PHLOX (Subulata)

Moss-like foliage stays green all winter. In the spring, completely covered with flowers. Thrives in sun or part shade.

P216 Blue P218 Red
P217 Pink P219 White

Postpaid 3 for \$1.00, Each 40c

LYTHRUM The Beacon

A Remarkable Perennial

P203 **Lythrum, The Beacon** is an outstanding perennial. Makes a neat bushy plant 3½ to 4 feet tall that blooms continuously all summer. The flowers are a lovely bright rosy-red. Thrives almost with no care practically everywhere, either wet, semi-shade or rather dry sunny spots. The foliage colors a brilliant red in the fall. Fine for border, mass planting or accent in your garden. Hardy. POSTPAID.

3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.25; Each 50c

P202 **Morden Pink**—This new Lythrum originated in Canada. It grows only 2½ to 3 feet tall and the flowers are a rich pink. It blooms freely in July and August and is at home almost any place, in sun or part-shade. Hardy. POSTPAID.

3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.25; Each 50c



Dykes

MEDAL AWARD WINNERS

Each of these five Iris (except Golden Treasure which was a runner-up) has won the Dykes Medal in the past few years. This is the highest honor an iris can win. You have seen them win blue ribbons at the flower shows. You have read about them and you have wanted them. Now you can have them at a very reasonable cost. We only wish that we could picture them in their actual beautiful colors but we promise you that when they bloom if you are not more than delighted you may select without cost equal value from our catalog.

P449 Elmohr—This is the latest Dykes Medal winner and the iris sensation of America today. Enormous flowers, often 6 inches wide and 7 inches long, a rich lustrous Bishop's purple. The size of the flower, the exquisite color, the freedom of bloom, will simply astonish you.

Each \$1.25, 3 for \$3.00

P447 Golden Treasure—This is unquestionably one of the most beautiful of all iris, a lovely blending of white and gold, the center of the flower shining with a golden light like the morning sun. It is a vigorous grower and tremendous bloomer.

Each 60c

P432 Great Lakes—From 1942 to 1947 the leading iris judges rated this America's number one Iris. It is not only the finest clear-blue but its form and style is so perfect that it is the standard of perfection for other colors also. Extremely vigorous and free-blooming.

Each \$1.00

P430 Prairie Sunset—This masterpiece from Hans Sass cost \$100.00 in 1939. It is the most sensational iris ever created in America. It is a glorious blending of peach, apricot, rose, copper and gold. It certainly adds tone to any garden.

Each \$1.50

P466 Wabash—Many think this the most beautiful of all iris. The standards are snow-white with falls of deep violet-blue edged white. Freely produced on tall stems. It is exquisite.

Each 75c



Golden
Treasure

Great Lakes

Wabash

Prairie Sunset

Dykes Special

1 Elmohr
1 Great Lakes
1 Prairie Sunset
1 Wabash
1 Golden Treasure

8P475

All 5 for
\$3.35
Postpaid
(\$5.10 Value)

TIGER FLOWER

Aztec Tiger Flower (Tigridia)

—The flowers are so strikingly beautiful that nothing in your garden will draw as much attention. Grows 24 inches tall. The blooms are huge, often 6 inches across. Each flower lasts but a day, opening at dawn, following the sun in its course, then passing at sunset. This goes on all through the summer. Dig the bulbs in the fall and store them just like Gladiolus.

B60 Pink B61 Red
B62 White B63 Yellow

Your Choice

**4 for 60c, 8 for \$1.00
Postpaid**

Cannas for a glorious bed or border

No other flower will give as brilliant a display all summer and fall as a bed or border of Cannas. We send you Big, Extra Fine bulbs. These larger bulbs will produce more and better flowers. Plant them in the full sun in good soil when the ground warms up in late spring. Do not plant too early or they will rot in the ground. Water freely in dry weather. Plant 18 inches apart each way. We have selected for you the most popular varieties.

**Big Bulbs, Your Choice, alike or assorted, Postpaid
3 for 50c, 8 for \$1.00, 16 for \$1.85, 25 for \$2.45**

B106 Allemania—Large flowers of sparkling salmon-red with yellow border. Green foliage, grows 5 feet tall.
B92 Eureka—Large creamy white flowers all through the season. Green foliage, grows 3½ feet tall.

B93 Hungaria—The large glowing pink flowers are produced freely right up to frost. Green foliage and grows only 3½ feet tall.

B95 King Midas—We think this the finest clear bright yellow. Large flowers right up to frost. Green foliage, grows 4 feet tall.

B90 Pink Gem—A new variety with bright salmon-rose flowers. Green foliage, blooms very freely. 4½ feet tall.

B97 President—For many years this has been America's favorite Canna. All through the season it produces large bright red flowers. Grows 4 feet tall.

B94 Red King Humbert—Large, brilliant orange-scarlet flowers until frost. Purple-coppery-bronze foliage, grows 4½ feet tall.

B98 Yellow King Humbert—Large flowers of golden yellow heavily flecked with red. Green foliage. 4½ feet tall.



Lilies
FOR EVERY SPOT
★
MIX THEM WITH YOUR PERENNIALS



CALLA LILIES

B70 The Yellow Calla is a great favorite for winter bloom indoors. Also beautiful in the garden. But wait and do not plant outdoors until the ground warms up. Then plant 5 to 6 inches deep in well-drained spot. Rich yellow flowers with glossy green foliage spotted white. Dig in fall before freezing and after bulbs have rested, you can pot for indoors bloom.

Postpaid, 3 for \$1.00, Each 40c

POPULAR CANNA SPECIAL

These are America's most Popular Cannas
5 Hungaria 5 Red King Humbert
5 President 5 Yellow King Humbert

8B107 All 20 for \$2.00 Postpaid

NEW AND IMPROVED Flower Seed SELECTIONS FOR 1948



801 PETUNIA, Garden Giants

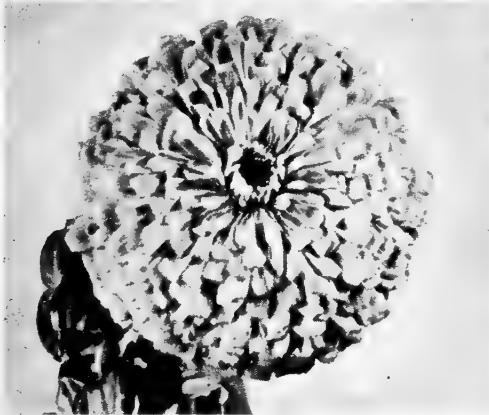
This is a new strain of low-growing Ruffled Petunia well suited to home garden use. The outstanding feature is its plant growth, which develops uniformly into well-rounded mounds 12 to 15 inches high. They start flowering when extremely small and continue a gorgeous display even under adverse heat and dryness. This mixture includes a wide variety of bright color combinations.

Pkt. 25c each.

802 SWEET PEAS, Cuthbertson Mixed

A new strain of Sweet Peas which is a vast improvement over the Spring Flowering types. It grows and blooms under hot weather conditions with exceptional vigor, length of stems and abundance of fragrant blossoms. If you have not had good success with Sweet Peas, be sure to give this variety a trial.

Pkt. 25c each.



803 ZINNIA, Burpee's New Luther Burbank

This new variety has lovely, delicate pastel or art shades in beautiful self colors and also an unusual two and three-color combination of soft and light shades. Flowers grow 5 to 5½ inches across and are composed of numerous petals which curl back somewhat to form thick flower heads 2 to 3 inches deep. Strong growing, 3 to 4 feet tall, well-branched with long-stemmed flowers for cutting.

Pkt. 25c each

804 ZINNIA, Burpee's Super Giants

A fine mixture containing the loveliest colors and combinations ever seen in Zinnias. Truly Giant flowers ranging from 5½ to 6½ inches across in a wide range of flower forms of Dahlia Flowered and Chrysanthemum-flowered heads. This will be outstanding in your garden and perfect for cutting. Try some and be convinced with their beauty.

Pkt. 25c each



805 SNAPDRAGONS, Burpee's New Tetra

Giant Ruffled Tetraploid Snapdragons are the largest flowered of all Snaps. Very distinctly and attractively ruffled in richer, brighter and clearer colors and combinations of beautiful tone blendings. We are pleased to offer this variety to our customers. Try them and you will be amazed with their beauty.

Pkt. 25c each



807 COSMOS, Radiance

A top All-America winner for 1948, and a entirely new combination of two brand-new colors. The Petals are a deep rose and the zone is definitely a rich crimson. It has a neat, compact erect growth habit and as a cutflower is very outstanding. It has good long stems, strong enough to arrange easily. We want you to see for yourself this new Cosmos and suggest that you place your order early.

Pkt. 25c each



806 MARIGOLD, Red Head

Burpee's New Dwarf Single French Marigold is a 1948 All-America Winner and we are proud to list it for the first time. Well-shaped flowers made up of a single row of broad, overlapping petals and a wide, crested center of many, tiny, erect florets. The edges of the petals are slightly curled, showing a gold reverse, adding to the attractiveness of the flowers which possess all the subtle shades of gold, bronze and auburn. When first opening, the blooms are a rich, mahogany-red, changing to auburn and later to bronze and gold. Plants are dwarf; bush, free-blooming, 1 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25c each



808 ASTER, Ballet Queen

Another new introduction for 1948 which is early and free-flowering and wilt-resistant. The color is new, deep rose touched with salmon, assuming a soft bronze color when flowers are massed together in the sunlight. The flowers are extremely-double, perfect for cut flowers. You will find it outstanding for your garden and also as border planting.

Pkt. 25c each

INTER-STATE'S GUARANTEED-TO-GROW FLOWER SEEDS!

Almost every gardener wants a flower garden. It takes such little space for the beauty and pleasure it gives, not only for the color it gives to the garden, but also for cut flower bouquets. Any home is more beautiful when it has a flower garden.

We offer you the finest, most popular flower seeds, personally selected and thoroughly tested. These are the finest that money can buy. Complete planting instructions are on every packet. The figure following the name gives the average height in inches when in bloom.

PRICES

ON ALL FLOWER AND VEGETABLE SEEDS
YOUR CHOICE, ALIKE OR ASSORTED POSTPAID

PACKET 10c EACH 7 PACKETS FOR 50c 16 Packets for \$1.00
(Excepting all flowers on Page 71, Burpee's Hybrid Cucumber and Burpee's Hybrid Tomato)

Free!

Make your seed order total \$2.00 or more and we will include free some packets of seeds worth 30c or more.

Buy by the dollar and save money.

ASTERS

For Late Summer Beauty

Wilt Resistant Asters—If you have had any trouble raising Asters, try our Wilt Resistant Strains. They are much more vigorous and productive, giving an abundance of cut flowers. We offer only the Wilt Resistant Strains as they have proven the most satisfactory.

117 Aster Double Mixed, Wilt Resistant (30)—Our mixture of many double varieties gives a lovely variety of colors for home gardens and cutting.

116 Aster, Giant Branching Mixed, Wilt Resistant (30)—Their branching habit and vigorous growth give a profusion of bloom and vivid colors. Very double.

112 Aster, Giant Crego Mixed, Wilt Resistant (27)—Large, double flowers with curled and twisted petals. Blooms from July until frost.



ASTER

5-BEST ZINNIA OFFER

Dahlia-Flowered

Crimson Monarch Scarlet Flame
Canary Bird Polar Bear
Exquisite

805 All 5 for only 40C Postpaid

(Regular 50c Value)

ZINNIAS

For Color from Midsummer Till Frost

Zinnia, Giant Dahlia Flowered (30) —

Immense Dahlia-like flowers with petals that seem to be piled one upon the other.

251 Finest Mixed, dahlia type.

252 Canary Bird, rich yellow.

253 Crimson Monarch, crimson.

254 Exquisite, light rose.

255 Polar Bear, creamy white.

256 Scarlet Flame, scarlet.

250 Zinnia, California Giants (36) —

A graceful Zinnia in a wide color range. Grows everywhere and stands any kind of weather.

WE RECOMMEND BUG-DUST-O-CIDE

As a multi-purpose, effective and easy-to-use dust on your vegetables and flowers for insects and diseases. Place your order now. Prices on page 33.

262 Zinnia, Fantasy Mixed (24) — Frilled flowers in red, yellow, orange, pink and cream.

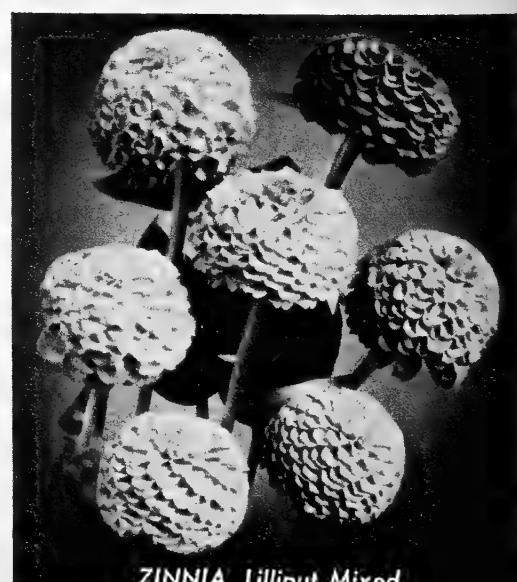
258 Zinnia, Red Riding Hood (16) — Compact plants literally covered with double scarlet flowers. Lilliput type, fine for borders.

260 Zinnia, Howard's Giant Crested (30) — The colors of this Zinnia are very bright and fresh. The blossoms are 4 to 5 inches in diameter. It has a cushion-like center surrounded by broad guard petals and is fast becoming very popular.

271 Zinnia, Lilliput Pastel Mixed (20) — A neat, compact plant with soft, pastel shaded blooms. Very desirable for cutting.

259 Zinnia, Tom Thumb (6-10) — Small plants with an abundance of dainty flowers.

257 Zinnia, Pompon or Lilliput (20) — The rich, bright colors make this baby Zinnia very popular. An abundance of bloom from early summer until late fall.



ZINNIA, Lilliput Mixed

PRICES ON ALL FLOWER AND VEGETABLE SEEDS

YOUR CHOICE, ALIKE OR ASSORTED, POSTPAID

PACKET 10c EACH

7 PACKETS FOR 50c

16 PACKETS FOR \$1.00

(EXCEPTING ALL FLOWERS ON PAGE 71, BURPEE'S HYBRID CUCUMBER AND BURPEE'S HYBRID TOMATO)

MARIGOLDS

Bloom July to Frost

166 Marigold, All-Double Harmony (15) — Charming, Scabiosa-like flowers with deep orange center petals flanked by wide, dark maroon-brown petals. Very free-flowering, especially in dry weather.

163 Marigold, Burpee Gold (30) — Gives an abundance of glorious deep orange double blooms, 3½ inches across. The long petals are loosely arranged. Blooms very early and entirely odorless.

164 Marigold French Dwarf Monarch Strain (12) — Double flowers in combinations of orange, bronze, yellow and mahogany come on compact plants. Free-flowering.

170 Marigold, Yellow Supreme (30) — Creamy yellow blossoms of the carnation flowered type.

165 Marigold, New Extra Early Hybrids (18) — The earliest of all the African type marigolds. A color range from bright orange to clear lemon on base branching plants producing a mass of color. An entirely new type Marigold.



SWEET PEAS

For Early Beauty

233 Sweet Peas, Spencer Late Flowering Mixed — The flower that everybody loves. A choice variety of colors.

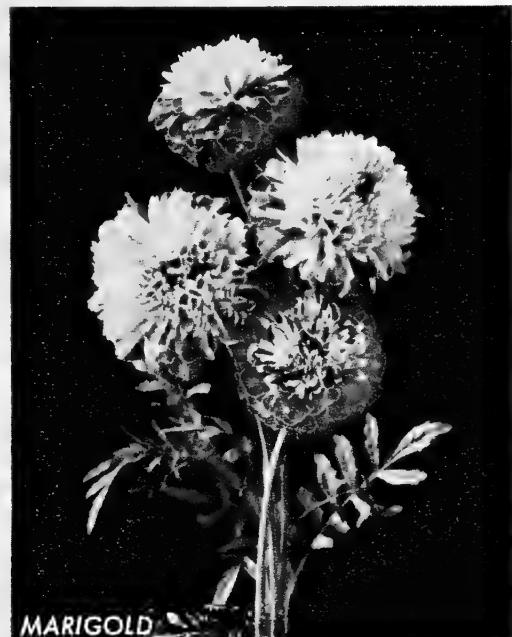
Sweet Pea, Early Large Flowering Spencers — The large, waved, Spencer type flowers that bloom fully one month earlier and over a much longer period than the old type. Gives an abundance of lovely cut flowers. Plant as early as possible for best results.

234 Finest Mixed.

235 Blue Bonnet, deep blue.

240 Red Supreme.

320 Sweet Peas, New Spring Flowering Mixed — A new strain of Sweet Peas especially fine because they stand lots of hot weather.



809 MARIGOLD OFFER

We will send you the following:

1 Pkt. Burpee Gold

1 Pkt. New Extra Early Hybrids

1 Pkt. Yellow Supreme

2 Pkts. All-Double Harmony

5 packets for just 31c

(Regular 50c Value) Postpaid

PETUNIAS

Easy to Grow—Always in Bloom

Petunia (12) — Easily grown, blooms early and continuously until frost. Improved colors make beautiful beds and borders. The balcony types are best for window boxes.

192 Balcony Blue — A rich beautiful shade of dark blue, planted alone or in a combination it is hard to beat.

193 Balcony Rose — A soft rose, perfect for planting with the Blue for showy displays.

195 Balcony Mixed — A mixture of all the Balcony types for a blend of assorted colors.

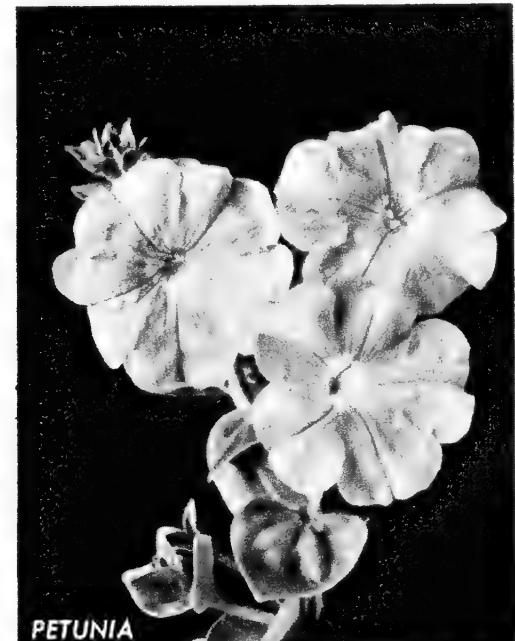
191 California Giants, Mixed — The immense blooms used for borders and beds. Ideal for cutting.

187 Exquisite Mixed — A mixture we believe will please any gardener, large flowers in a wide variety of color.

190 Flaming Velvet — A large deep velvety-red, an excellent bedder.

188 Purple — A large flowered beauty with deep purple blooms.

189 Rose of Heaven — An exquisite shade of Rose with inconspicuous white throat.



SPECIAL PETUNIA OFFER

188 Purple

189 Rose of Heaven

190 Flaming Velvet

195 Balcony Mixed

187 Exquisite

908 All 5 for only 40c Postpaid

(Regular 50c Value)

RED, WHITE AND BLUE LARKSPUR SPECIAL

Blue Spire
White King
Carmine King

807

All 3 for just **25c** Postpaid

Have a patriotic flower garden as well as beautiful flowers.

LARKSPUR

Tall Spikes of Graceful Beauty

158 Larkspur, Annual Mixed (30)

One of the finest annuals, ideal for both garden color and cutting. Gives a more continuous bloom if the faded blossoms are cut off.

Larkspur, Giant Imperial (30)—An ideal type for cutting with long flower stems, branching from the base. Your choice of the following.

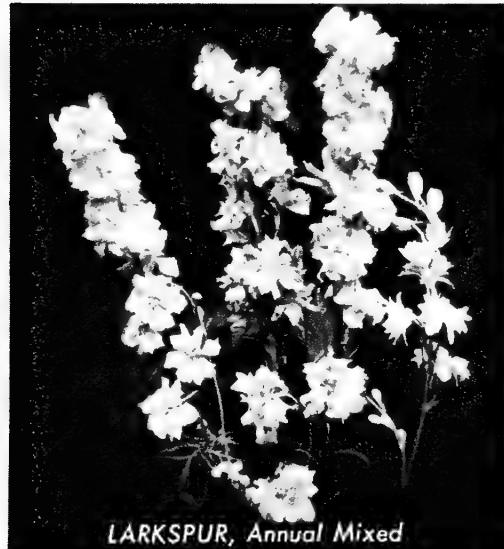
160A **Blue Spire**—Deep blue.

160B **Carmine King**—Carmine.

160D **White King**—Pure white.

160E **All Colors Mixed**.

304 **Larkspur, Rosalind (40)**—A new color in Larkspur, rose with just enough salmon to create a most pleasing shade of rose-pink. Base branching, practically non-shattering, excellent for cutting.



LARKSPUR, Annual Mixed

NASTURIUMS

Thrive in the poorest of soil

172 Nasturtium, Dwarf Mixed (10)

The most popular dwarf annual, easy to grow in poor soil, and blooms for weeks. In rich colors, fine for beds and borders.

173 **Nasturtium, Tall Mixed**—A choice mixture of all the newer and more colorful types.

175 **Nasturtium, Double Glorious Gleam Hybrids**—Large, double, sweet-scented blooms in striking colors.

174 **Nasturtium, Double Golden Gleam**—Fragrant, golden yellow flowers. An original Gold Medal Winner and still one of the most widely planted of all new flowers.



SCABIOSA

Easy to grow, ideal for cutting

316 Scabiosa, Giant Rosette (36)

A glorious new Scabiosa color, a deep, lovely rose, with extra large flowers on long stems which are fine for cutting.

315 **Scabiosa, Blue Moon (36)**—An entirely new type of Scabiosa with broad, wavy petals of a rich deep lavender blue. Long, wiry stems ideal for cutting.

Scabiosa, Mourning Bride (30)—Long stems and cheerful colors make these ideal for cutting. Long lasting in water and bloom July until frost. Very easily grown.

214 **Finest Mixed**, lovely colors.

215 **Black Prince**, purple.

216 **Blue Cockade**, deep blue.

218 **Peach Blossom**, peach pink.

219 **Loveliness**, salmon rose.

221 **Shasta Improved**, white.

222 **Yellow**, sulphur yellow.

"PRIZETAKER" FLOWER GARDEN

- 117 **Asters**
- 118 **Bachelor Button**
- 158 **Larkspur**
- 166 **Marigold**
- 175 **Nasturtium**
- 214 **Scabiosa**
- 234 **Sweet Peas**
- 251 **Zinnia**

One packet each of our 8 most popular annuals, giving you flowers of all colors from spring until frost. Beautiful in the garden, fine for cutting. Regular price of these packets is 80c so you save 30c.

800

Flower Favorites

8 Postpaid for Only 50c

ANNUAL VINES

Decorative

289 **Gourds, Ornamental Mixed**—This special mixture of the large and small ornamental varieties is very interesting.

287 **Cardinal Climber, Ipomea Hyb.**—A mass of fiery red flowers from mid-summer until frost. Everybody admires this strong and rapid growing annual vine.

291 **Morning Glory, Giant Japanese Mixed**—Large flowers and gay colors that you will enjoy. Like poor soil and full sun.

810 MORNING GLORY VINE SPECIAL

1 Imp. Heavenly Blue

1 Pearly Gates

1 Scarlett O'Hara

All 3 for just **25c**

POSTPAID



292 **Morning Glory, Imp. Heavenly Blue**—Clarke's Strain. The large, lovely, true-blue flowers with a lighter throat give a mass of beauty. Fine for trellis or arches. A coarse gravelly soil and a southern exposure gives an abundance of morning bloom until frost.

293 **Morning Glory, Pearly Gates**—Silver Medal Winner in 1942 All-America Selections. The flowers are a lovely lustrous white with creamy shading deep in the throat. They average 4½ inches across. Vines are covered with bloom from mid-summer to frost. A wonderful companion for Heavenly Blue.

306 **Morning Glory, Scarlett O'Hara**—The All-America GOLD MEDAL Winner that has created so much interest. The rich, wine-red flowers of good size are freely produced and last longer.

307 **Morning Glory, Cornell**—A new, annual climber with flowers of intense red with pure white border, as large in size as Heavenly Blue. Makes a rapid growth.

America's Finest New Mums

These five chrysanthemums were selected by Dr. Kraus of the University of Chicago from thousands of his seedlings. They are new, they are better, they will bring your "Mum" garden up-to-date. They start blooming in September and the flowers are much larger than pictured. We have priced them very low so thousands can enjoy them while they are still new. POSTPAID.

P227 Charles Nye—Large, very double 3-inch flowers of bright buttercup-yellow. The finest new yellow Mum we have seen. Nearly 30 inches tall.

P228 Courageous—Large double 3½-inch flowers of glowing ruby-red. Good reds are scarce and this rates high. 26 inches.

P229 Drifted Snow—Large double 3½-inch flowers, snow-white with creamy center, cover the entire plant. 24 inches.

P230 Heatherbloom—Very double 2½-inch blooms of sparkling pink, center shaded rose and petals tipped with gold. The finest pink we know. 24 inches tall.

P231 Olive Longland—Large double 3-inch flowers of apricot tinted salmon. The finest of this color. 24 inches tall.

Price on Above Five Mums

Your Choice, Alike or Assorted

6 for \$2.00; 3 for \$1.15; Each 50c

P237

All 5 for

\$1.75

Postpaid

**KRAUS
SPECIAL**

1 Charles Nye
1 Courageous
1 Drifted Snow
1 Heatherbloom
1 Olive Longland

Below, Heatherbloom

Drifted Snow, white Charles Nye, yellow Courageous, red Olive Longland, salmon

MORE NEW MUMS

If you saw these blooming in our fields, you would want all of them. All start blooming in early September (except Red Velvet which starts in early October).

Your Choice All Mums listed below, Alike or Assorted.

Each 40c, 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.85

P2 Algonquin—3-inch double flowers of bright yellow. Extremely hardy, free blooming. 24 inches.

P6 Autumn Greetings—Brilliant flowers of coppery-gold tinged red cover the entire plant. 27 inches.

P22 Avalanche—Many think this the finest large double white. 27 inches.

P24 Chippewa—3½-4-inch large double flowers of Aster-purple. Colors best in afternoon shade. 26 inches.

P233 Early Harvest—Very fine, new cushion type, double 2½-inch blooms of old rose tinged orange. 20 inches.

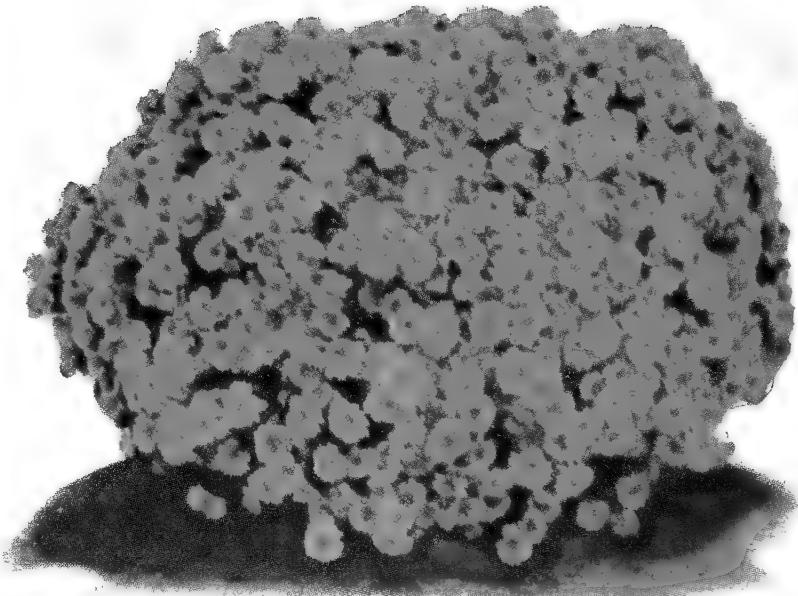
P27 Red Gold—The brightest pompon. Very double 1½ to 2-inch flowers of orange and gold and red. 22 inches.

P232 Red Velvet—Double 3-inch flowers of deep velvety crimson. Very fine. 26 inches.

P28 Robert Brydon—New fine cushion type with double 2 to 2½-inch flowers richly colored red that cover the entire bush. 18 inches.

P8 September Dawn—Very fine, with double 3-inch flowers of rosy-pink. 26 inches.

8P238 One each of all 9 Mums Above for \$2.45



P16 Bronze Cushion—A grand sight with its rich fall colors of gold, orange, copper and bronze.

P20 Yellow Cushion—Great masses of gleaming yellow. Outstanding in the garden and fine for cutting.

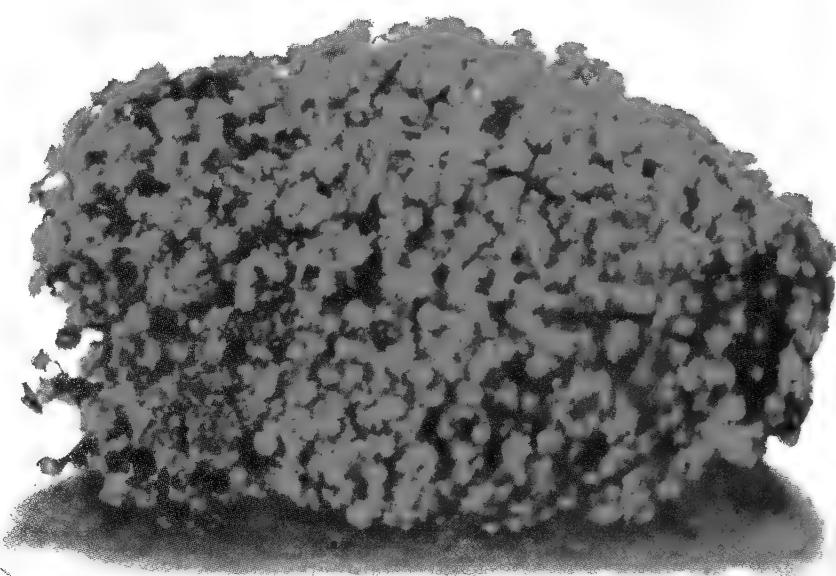
THE 5 FAMOUS *Cushion Mums*

The Cushion Mums pictured here in natural color cannot begin to show you the exquisite beauty and loveliness of the BUSHELS OF BLOOMS these plants produce from late summer until late fall. They grow about 2 feet tall and 2 to 3 feet wide, perfectly hardy, come up year after year and are so easy to grow. It is almost unbelievable the many hundreds of blooms these plants produce. You can pick bouquet after bouquet after all other flowers are gone. The flowers are much larger than pictured. Our plants will bloom this season.

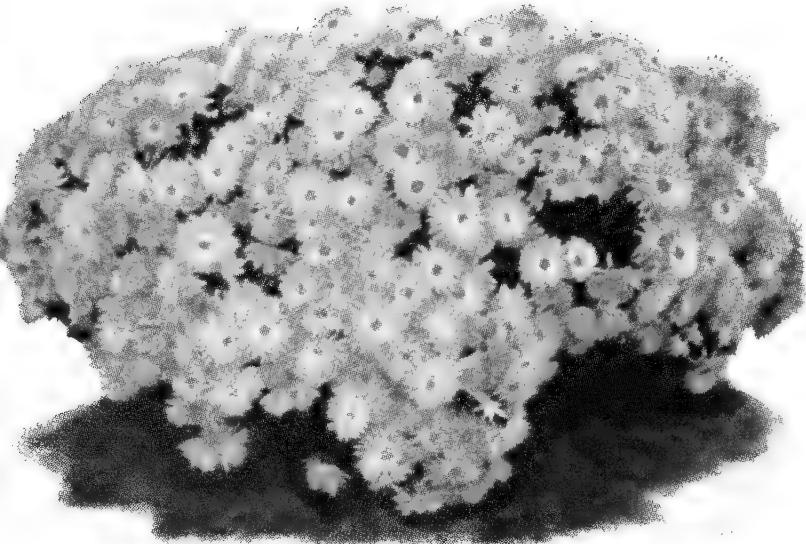
Your Choice, Alike or Assorted, Postpaid

6 for \$1.85 3 for \$1.00 Each 40c

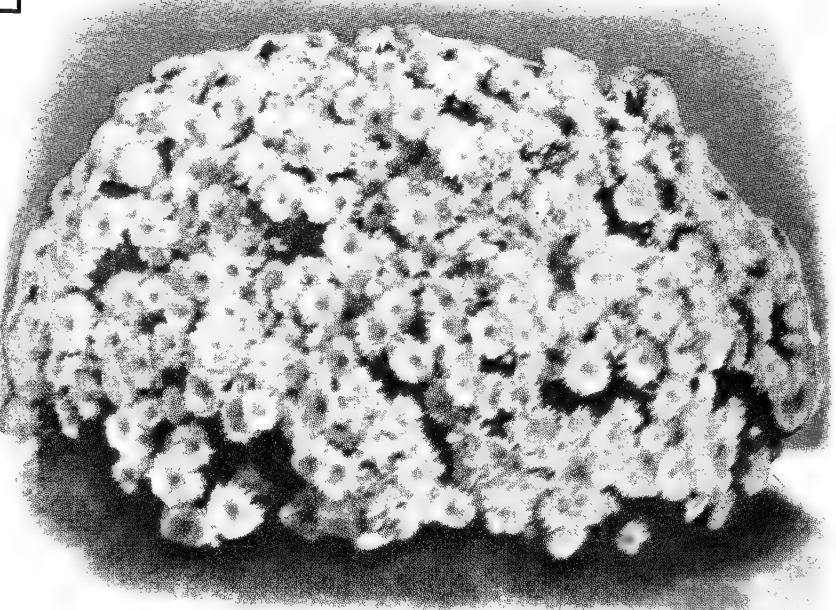
8P21
All 5 (1 of each color) for \$1.65 Postpaid
FREE—1 Early Harvest Mum, worth 40c, see page 75.



P18 Red Cushion—None other like it. The glowing mahogany-red flowers cover the plant for weeks.



P17 Pink Cushion—The original Cushion Mum with many hundreds of lovely pink flowers produced freely.



P19 White Cushion—Pure white with a warm ivory center, giving a balanced color effect with fall flowers.

103 African Daisy, Hybrids Mixed (15)
—Compact, bushy plants with white, orange, gold and salmon blossoms from July to October. Very fine for cutting.

107 Alyssum Procumbens, Carpet of Snow (4)—The dwarf, white, edging plant that is so desirable. Blooms all summer and fall. Each plant is a compact mass of snow-white blossoms.

122 Alyssum, Violet Queen (6)—A new dwarf compact variety bearing beautiful bright violet flowers all summer and fall. It is a pleasing contrast to the white flowering alyssums.

118 Bachelor Button, Double Mixed (20)—An abundance of double, colorful flowers from July until frost. Fine for cutting.

119 Bachelor Button, Jubilee Gem (12)—A dwarf, compact plant of bright green. A delightful background for the double, dark blue flowers.

123 Calendula, Sunshine (18)—The large buttercup-yellow flowers bloom over a long period and are excellent for cutting.

124 Calendula, Campfire (24)—The large, dark orange flowers with a scarlet sheen are very attractive.

125 Calendula, Finest Double Mixed (18)—The old fashioned, free-flowering Pot Marigold of yellow and orange.

127 Campanula, Cup and Saucer, Canterbury Bell (20)—An easily grown biennial that gives a profusion of blue, rose, and white flowers.

129 Canterbury Bell, Annual Mixed (24)—Blue, pink, rose, violet, and white flowers in late summer and autumn. A fine border flower.

130 Carnation, Chabaud's Giant Imp. (16)—Our most popular early flowering clove-scented carnation. The robust, long-stemmed plants give continuous bloom.

131 Castor Bean, Ricinus (120)—Tall-growing background plant with ornamental foliage. Useful for screening alleys and unsightly places.

136 Cockscomb, Celosia Cristata (30)—The velvety-red heads of this old fashioned celosia add color to the garden.

139 Cosmos, Sensation Mixed (45)—Immense pink and white blooms are truly a sensation, and are a great favorite for cutting.



COSMOS

141 Cosmos, Mam. Early Flowering Mixed (48)—The large, single flowers of red, pink, and white make a lovely showing from midsummer until frost.

303 Dahlia, New Dwarf Hybrids (20)—This new strain of Dahlias is selected to give a higher percentage of true doubles and a much wider range of colors.

145 Dianthus, Pinks, Hedewigi Dbl. Mixed (12)—The freely-produced flowers of crimson, purple, pink, and white are fine for cutting.



FOUR O'CLOCK

148 Four O'Clocks, Marvel of Peru (24)—Flowers of red, yellow, lilac and white. The glossy foliage and profuse bloom make it an attractive border plant from July until frost.

154 Gypsophila, Annual Baby's Breath (15)—This improved London Market strain gives an abundance of large, pure white flowers. Make several plantings for continuous bloom.



182 Painted Daisies, Finest Mixed (18)—The annual Chrysanthemum is easily grown and loved by all. Early blooms, choice colors.

183 Pansy, Giant Superb Mixed (6)—A large flowering strain in a beautiful color range.

308 Pansy, Super Swiss Giants (6)—For size, color, and free blooming qualities this garden favorite is unsurpassed.

196 Poppies, American Legion (30)—Brilliant scarlet that brightens your flower garden. The best red Poppy.

205 Poppies, Eschscholtzia, Calif. Mixed (12)—A free blooming annual rich in crimson, pink, and orange-scarlet shades. Very showy.

209 Portulaca, Rose Moss, Dbl. Mixed (4)—Our unsurpassed, choice doubles. Delicate green foliage simply covered all season with bright colored flowers. The flowers resemble small roses and in dry weather are at their best.

225 Snapdragon, New Calif. Rust-proof (24)—The finest color range of all the Rust Resistant Mixtures. Beautiful in beds and fine for cutting.

226 Snapdragon, Super Giants, Rust-proof (30)—A mixture of our own selection, taller in habit than the California type and bearing larger blossoms.



PEAT MOSS
Neutral Peat Moss mixed with your soil is very good for your flower beds, you will get better results from your planting. See Page 33 for description and prices. Order early.

228 Strawflowers, Everlastings, Mixed (20)—Our own collection of many kinds especially selected for your winter and decorative bouquets.

243 Sweet William, Single Mixed (18)—Pink, crimson, scarlet and white blooms in early spring.

248 Verbena, Giant Hybrids (10)—Fine for borders, beds, porch boxes and among tall growing plants like Lilies. Bloom all summer and fall. All colors mixed.

INTER-STATE'S TESTED, GUARANTEED-TO-GROW VEGETABLE SEEDS!

OUR SEED GUARANTEE

We guarantee our seeds to be of the best quality and to grow in your garden. Otherwise, we will replace them free.

When you see this mark (*) before the name of a variety, it means that we recommend it especially for quality and productiveness in the home garden. The number following the name indicates the approximate days from planting until ready for use. Complete easy-to-follow Planting Instructions are printed on every seed packet.

FREE! Make your SEED ORDER total \$2.00 or more and we will include FREE some packets of seeds worth 30c or more.

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PRICES

on all Flower and Vegetable Seeds

Your Choice, Alike or Assorted, Postpaid

Packet 10c 7 Packets for 50c 16 Packets for \$1.00

(EXCEPTING ALL FLOWERS ON PAGE 71, BURPEE'S HYBRID CUCUMBER AND BURPEE'S HYBRID TOMATO)

BEANS

Contain Vitamins, A, B₁, C, G, also Calcium, Iron and Phosphorus.

K23 Nitragin only 10c

Be sure to inoculate your Beans, Peas and Sweet Pea Seeds with Nitragin. It greatly increases the yield. A garden size packet costs only 10c postpaid and is enough to treat 3 or 4 pounds of all 3 seeds.

PRICES ON ALL BEANS

Large Packet 10c

1/2 Lb. for 24c; 1 Lb. for 43c

One packet of Bush Beans will plant 25 feet and 1 pound 150 feet. Make successive plantings of bush beans and have fresh beans all summer and fall.

DWARF GREEN POD BUSH BEANS

*401 **Burpee's Stringless Green Pod** (50 days)—This is, by far, our most popular bush bean. It produces long, round meaty pods that are always tender and absolutely stringless even when full grown. It cannot be beat for table use or canning. Its quality, productiveness and tenderness have never been surpassed. We believe that it will produce more than any other variety and produce for a longer period of time.

400 **Longreen** (56 days)—A new market bean originating as a selection from Tendergreen. Pods are round, straight, 7 inches long and a dark green in color, considerably longer than Tendergreen but the pod type and color are similar. Very good canning variety.

402 **Plentiful** (49 days)—A new green bean that won All-America Award in 1939. Long, thick, meaty, flat pods, absolutely stringless and excellent quality. Produces over a very long season.

*403 **Tendergreen** (53 days)—A new green bean so tender that it fairly melts in your mouth. Absolutely stringless, very highest quality and productive. Fine for table use and canning and best of all for freezing. All who plant it are enthusiastic.

DWARF WAX POD BEANS

*406 **Brittle Wax** (54 days)—This is our best and most popular wax bean. Superb quality, very early and very productive. The long, round pods are perfectly stringless at all times, very tender, light yellow. Many think this the finest quality of all beans, wax or green. Easy to grow as it is blight resistant and stands dry weather.

408 **Pencil Pod Black Wax** (53 days)—This popular wax bean has long golden-yellow, tender, stringless curved pods.

407 **Puregold Wax** (58 days)—All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Pods are 5½ to 6 inches long, slim round golden yellow. The bush is dark green and about 13 inches high. A good canning variety which is stringless. Resistant to the common bean Mosaic.

POLE BEANS

413 **Kentucky Wonder** (65 days)—Most widely planted pole bean. Bears early with clusters of long, curved green pods with tasty distinctive flavor. The more you pick them, the more they bear, until frost. Light brown seeds.

415 **King of the Garden** (86 days)—The finest pole lima. Mammoth size pods, well-filled, are produced from the bottom of the vine up, until frost. White beans when dry.

BUSH LIMA BEANS

411 **Burpee's Improved Bush Lima** (75 days)—A large, meaty, delicious Lima. Long, broad, tender flat pods. Very productive, it produces right up to frost. When dry the beans are large, plump, white with a light greenish tinge.

416 **Cangreen** (68 days)—A new Lima similar to Henderson's except the beans are a little larger and when dry they remain an attractive green color. Extremely productive, all season. If you plan to can some Limas, be sure and plant some Cangreen because the beans look fine in the jar and taste as good as they look.

412 **Henderson's Baby Lima** (65 days)—A tremendous yielder, a short row will give you these delicious butter beans right up to frost. The green pods are about 3 inches long. The beans are small and creamy-white when dry.

FIELD BEANS

409 **Improved Navy** (85 days)—The small white, soup bean. Plant some for your winter's supply for soup and baking.

410 **Red Kidney** (94 days)—The dark red bean used in chili, soups, etc.

905

BEAN SPECIAL

3 lbs. for \$1.00

Your choice
alike or assorted

BEETS

Contain vitamins A, B₁, C, G, also minerals.
The Beet greens contain Iron, calcium, phosphorus, A, C, and G.

One Pkt. will sow 20 to 25 feet; one Oz. 75 to 100 feet.

*420 **Detroit Dark Red Improved** (61 days)—The most popular beet for the home garden and canning. Globe shaped, very smooth, a deep oxblood-red color. Very tender and sweet at all stages of growth, without a trace of woodiness.

422 **Early Blood Turnip** (60 days)—A good dependable midseason variety. Nearly round, deep red with brighter red zones. High quality.

BEETS, Detroit Dark Red

CABBAGE

Contains vitamins A, B₁, C, G, P.P., Calcium, Iron.

1 Pkt. will produce 100 or more plants;
1 Oz. 2500 plants.

434 **Early Flat Dutch** (75 days)—An early, unusually fine, large, solid, flat-headed type. Fine quality, 5 to 6 pound heads. Keeps well.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Oz. 25c; 1 Oz. 43c

435 **Danish Ballhead** (100 days)—Our most popular late cabbage, producing round compact heads weighing from 7 to 9 pounds. Excellent keeper. Very crisp and tender. Fine for kraut.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Oz. 28c; 1 Oz. 50c

436 **Early Jersey Wakefield** (60 days)—An extra early variety with cone-shaped heads, 2 to 3 pounds each.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Oz. 25c; 1 Oz. 40c

*438 **Marion Market** (75 days)—A Yellows Resistant strain of Copenhagen Market. A sure heading, main crop variety. Our most popular cabbage. Excellent quality, has short stems and is good for early kraut and all cooking purposes. Weighs 4 to 5 pounds.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Oz. 35c; 1 Oz. 60c

439 **Premium Late Flat Dutch** (100 days)—Very popular large, flat headed winter cabbage. Fine quality, solid, good keeper and fine for kraut. Heads weigh from 13 to 15 pounds.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Oz. 28c; 1 Oz. 50c

437 **Golden Acre** (65 days)—An extra early garden variety with round firm heads weighing about 4 pounds each. Resists bursting.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Oz. 28c; 1 Oz. 50c

CARROTS

Contain vitamins A, B₁, C, G, P.P., Calcium, Phosphorus, Iron.

One Pkt. will sow 35 feet; One Oz. 200 feet.

*426 **Improved Chantenay** (70 days)—The outstanding favorite with people who grow carrots in their garden. This is a very choice strain producing large, thick, six-inch orange roots, very tender, high quality and free from hard core. Very heavy yielder.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Oz. 25c; 1 Oz. 45c

430 **Oxheart** (72 days)—Especially good for rather stiff, hard soil because the roots are short and stubby. A good keeper. Bright orange, tender and sweet.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Oz. 25c; 1 Oz. 45c

*427 **Coreless Nantes** (68 days)—We especially recommend this for the home garden because of its extra fine quality. The roots are deep orange, very tender and sweet from 6 to 7 inches long and the same size from top to bottom.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Oz. 30c; 1 Oz. 50c

429 **Danvers Half Long** (75 days)—Very productive. Keeps all winter. Does well in all classes of soil. Smooth, deep orange roots, about 7 inches long, tapering to a blunt point. Sweet, tender and crisp.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Oz. 25c; 1 Oz. 45c

CUCUMBERS

Contain vitamins A, B₁, C, G, Phosphorus, Iron.

One Packet will plant 15 hills; one Ounce, 65 to 70 hills.

452 **Chicago Pickle** (58 days)—Very popular early variety. Very productive. Pickles are uniform size, medium green and square ended.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Oz. 16c; 1 Oz. 27c.

455 **Burpee's Hybrid** (60 days)—Burpee's Hybrid Cucumber outyields open pollinated varieties because the vines continue to produce their fruits more profusely long after the others have ceased. Vines are extremely vigorous, long lived and bear an abundance of well-formed green fruits of handsome appearance, 8 inches and more long, 2½ inches wide, square at both ends with medium seed cavity and crisp, white flesh of excellent quality.

**Pkt. (30 seeds) 25c; 3 Pkts. 70c; 1/2 Oz. \$2.75;
1 Oz. \$5.00**

*453 **Improved Long Green** (62 days)—The best and most popular all-purpose cucumber, fine for slicing and pickling. It does well in every section, producing heavily when other kinds give up. It is medium dark green, crisp, few seeds.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Oz. 18c; 1 Oz. 30c.

*454 **Select National Pickling** (55 days)—Our most popular pickling type. Of uniform size and color, as firm after pickling as before. Very early and enormously productive. Even size, straight, with square blunt ends, deep green color.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Oz. 16c; 1 Oz. 27c.

456 **Straight Eight** (58 days)—A new white spine type, very productive, long straight fruits of an ideal green color. Averages about 8 inches long.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Oz. 20c; 1 Oz. 35c.

SWEET CORN

Contains vitamins B₁, C, Phosphorus, Iron.
(Also Vitamins A and G in yellow sweet corn)

One packet will sow 60 feet or more; 1 Lb. 400 feet.

*450 **Tendermost** (83 days)—The most tender of all our yellow hybrids, giant size kernels of sugary-sweet goodness with a tender hull. Very large ears averaging nine inches in length with 14 to 16 rows of regular kernels. A high-yielder that stays sweet and tender on the stalk for nearly two weeks. Good resistance to smut and ear worm.

Large Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Lb. 38c; 1 Lb. 70c

*443 **Aristogold Bantam Evergreen** (87 days)—This is the largest, high quality yellow hybrid sweet corn we have ever seen. About a week later than Golden Cross, the ears are a little larger, equally fine quality and even more productive. The two together make a great team. Stands the heat, drought and wind.

Large Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Lb. 38c; 1 Lb. 70c

444 **Bancross Early Yellow** (68 days)—Plant this for the first sweet corn of the summer. Ears are 7 inch, with 8 to 12 rows of deep yellow kernels of good quality.

Large Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Lb. 38c; 1 Lb. 70c

447 **Golden Bantam** (78 days)—The favorite yellow sweet corn for many years. Very early, small ears, tender and sweet.

Large Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Lb. 20c; 1 Lb. 35c

*445 **Golden Cross Bantam** (82 days)—Our most popular yellow hybrid, producing 12 rowed ears, 8 inches long. It is about 3 times as productive as Golden Bantam. It is also resistant to bacterial wilt which often causes failure with early yellow corn. We honestly believe that once you grow this corn, you will always want it. The kernels are so tender and sweet they fairly melt in your mouth.

Large Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Lb. 30c; 1 Lb. 55c

445A Hybrid Blends—A special blend of all the finer yellow hybrids to give you an all season supply with only one planting. It contains early, medium, and late varieties. Thus all your sweet corn does not come on at once, and you can enjoy sweet corn all season long from just one planting.

Large Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Lb. 34c; 1 Lb. 60c.

449 **Stowell's Evergreen** (94 days)—The standard main crop white sweet corn. Large ears, sweet and stays tender a long time. Especially fine for canning.

Large Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Lb. 22c; 1 Lb. 36c.

*446 **Tendergold** (75 days)—A very fine yellow hybrid corn that is sweet, tender and of finest quality. Matures a few days earlier than Golden Bantam. Much more productive and holds its quality two to three days longer than other corns. The golden ears are 12 rowed about 8 inches long.

Large Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Lb. 33c; 1 Lb. 60c.

448 **Country Gentleman** (90 days)—The late white corn with long, deep grained kernels irregularly arranged. Often called the shoe-peg type. A heavy yielder.

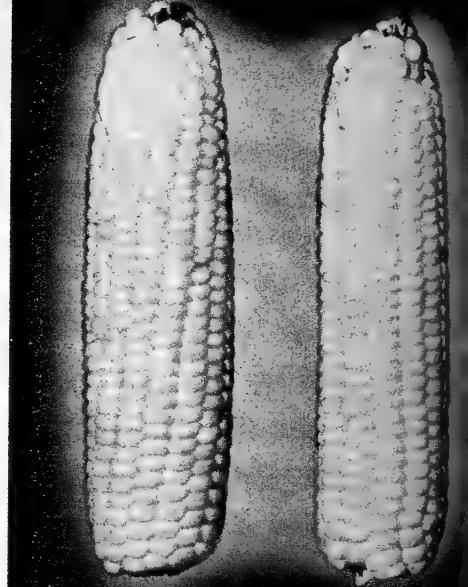
Large Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Lb. 22c; 1 Lb. 39c.

451 **Silver Cross Bantam** (80 days)—This corn was derived from Golden Cross Bantam which it resembles but the stalks are taller and the ears longer and larger. Very tender with a real corn flavor. First choice for canning and freezing.

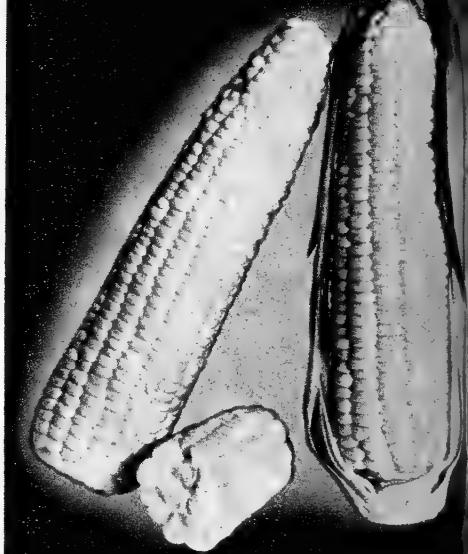
Large Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Lb. 38c; 1 Lb. 70c

452 **Golden Security** (85 days)—A very outstanding new variety under drought conditions. Kernels are bright golden yellow, medium width, good depth, tender and of excellent quality. Ears are 8-8½ inches, usually two ears per stalk. Choice for canning.

Large Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Lb. 38c; 1 Lb. 70c



Golden Cross



Golden Security

LETTUCE

Contains vitamins A, B₁, C, G, Calcium, Phosphorus, Iron.

One Packet of seed will sow 40 to 50 feet, one Ounce, 200 feet.

*462 **Black Seeded Simpson** (46 days)—Our most popular loose leaf lettuce. The broad, frilled light green leaves are crisp, tender and of excellent quality. It is very early, does well everywhere.

Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 23c.

463 **Great Lakes Lettuce** (75 days)—A sure-heading variety that is famous for crisp heads even in hot weather. All-America winner of excellent quality. Try this variety this year, you will like it.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Oz. 25c

*464 **Early Prizehead** (45 days)—An early, non-heading home garden variety. The crimped, crisp, tender leaves are tinged brownish red.

Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 23c.

466 **Iceberg** (82 days)—Large, solid heads, white inside, crisp and of excellent quality. A popular head lettuce.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Oz. 20c.

467 **Imperial No. 44** (70 days)—If you have been unable to grow head lettuce, try this variety. It is early and will stand lots of heat. The heads are compact and medium large.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Oz. 20c.



LETTUCE, Black Seeded Simpson

WATERMELON

Contains vitamins A, B₁, C, G, and minerals.

One Packet will sow 10 hills; 1 ounce 30 hills.

*477 **Imp. Kleckley Sweet No. 6** (87 days)—Many consider this the best watermelon. Weighs about 35 pounds, white seeds. Has bright red flesh which is crisp, tender and very sweet. Wilt resistant strain.

*480 **Early Kansas Sweet** (85 days)—A very large medium early melon, fine for home gardens. Thin green-striped rind, bright red flesh of very fine sweet flavor. Seeds are reddish-brown. Weighs about 40 pounds. This is one of our finest melons and we recommend it.

475 **Northern Sweet** (76 days)—A very early, round melon weighing 12 pounds, having a thin rind and deep red crisp flesh. An ideal ice-box melon.

478 **Stone Mountain** (86 days)—The large, round, solid dark green melons are very popular. Ripens medium early and has a very delicious flavor with lots of heart. Weighs 30 to 40 pounds.

**Prices on all Watermelon
Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 15c; 1/4 Lb. 45c.**



Early Kansas

MUSKMELON (Cantaloupe)

Contains vitamins A, B₁, C, G, and minerals.

One Packet will sow 15 hills; 1 Ounce 60 hills.

470 Hales Best (87 days)—Thick, tender flesh is deep salmon and richly flavored. Oval fruits weigh 4 pounds.

472 Early Sunrise (78 days)—Especially desirable because of early maturity. Fruit 5 to 6 pounds, fairly well netted. Flesh is orange with excellent flavor and quality. Very productive.

Prices on all Muskmelon Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 25c; 1/4 Lb. 75c.

ONIONS

Contain B₁, C, G, Calcium, Phosphorus, Iron.

One Packet will sow 10 hills; 1 ounce 30 hills.

483 Southport White Globe (115 days)—The best and most popular white onion. The bulbs are medium large, crisp, mild and have snowy white flesh. A good keeper and a heavy yielder.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Oz. 45c; 1 Oz. 80c

485 Yellow Globe Danvers (111 days)—White flesh, crisp and very fine quality. Firm and solid, this is the best keeping yellow onion. Very productive.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Oz. 45c; 1 Oz. 80c.

PEPPERS

Contain A, C, B₁, and G; also Calcium and Iron.

500 Long Red Cayenne (70 days)—A favorite hot sort used chiefly for pickling, canning and drying.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Oz. 30c.

497 Ruby King (68 days)—A popular variety for home gardens. Bears dark green fruits, about 4½ to 6 inches long, which turn a ruby red color when ripe. Fruits are about 3 inches thick. One of the best types for pickles.

Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Oz. 20c.

PARSLEY

Contains Vitamin A and Iron.

487 Moss Curled (72 days)—The most desirable for garnishing and decorative purposes. Dark green, finely cut curled leaves. Very fast growing. Cut it and it comes up again.

Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 23c.

PARSNIPS

One Packet will sow about 40 feet; 1 Oz. 200 feet.

488 Hollow Crown (125 days)—The most popular variety. Smooth, white skin with rich, tender, sweet flesh. Long, tapering roots about 12 inches long. They can be left in the ground over winter. Dig them in early spring before growth starts.

Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 20c.

PEANUTS

489 Peanuts, Jumbo—The large standard roasting peanut. Stands heat and drought.

Large Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Lb. 25c; 1 Lb. 45c.

489A Peanuts, Early Spanish—The pods are smaller than the Jumbo but they will mature as far north as Minnesota.

Large Pkt. 10c; 1/2 Lb. 25c; 1 Lb. 45c.

***471 Hearts of Gold** (88 days)—The salmon-orange flesh is very thick and good right out of the rind. The fruits are tender, juicy and very sweet. This melon weighs about 4 pounds. It is the most popular muskmelon for general use.

474 Rocky Ford Netted Gem (95 days)—A fine home and market garden melon, weighing about 2½ pounds. Uniform size, nearly round, thick green flesh with a spicy flavor.

PEAS

Contain vitamins A, B₁, C, G, P.P., calcium, Phosphorus, iron

One Pkt. will sow 15 feet; 1 Lb., 100 feet.

All of these Peas grow only around 18 inches tall and do not have to be supported. When you order Peas be sure and include 10c for a packet of Nitragin to inoculate the Pea and Bean seed. 1 Pkt. is enough for 3 to 4 pounds of seed.

POSTPAID PRICES ON ALL PEAS

**Large Packet 10c
1/2 Lb. for 20c 1 lb. for 36c**

492 American Wonder (60 days)—A popular early pea. A good bearer of tender, sweet flavored peas. Grow only 12 to 15 inches tall.

***490 New Alaska** (54 days)—This is the kind to plant for those first Peas from your garden. This is an improved strain with larger pods, better flavor and very productive. Smooth seeded, it can be planted very early.

***491 Fillbasket** (60 days)—One of the earliest large podded semi-wrinkled peas. Sturdy vines bear an abundance of dark green pods, filled with good quality peas.

***495 Little Marvel** (62 days)—Our most popular wrinkled variety and the most satisfactory kind in the average home garden. It is very hardy and can be planted almost as early as New Alaska. Very productive, the pods are filled from end to end with the delicious, tender peas.

494 Laxton's Progress (62 days)—The earliest and heaviest yielding of the large podded peas. The pods are very large, with big, plump peas of the finest flavor. Very popular.

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Fillbasket—Midseason, bearing large, wrinkled, tender peas.

Little Marvel—The best and most popular peas. Very productive.

909 Lg. Pkt. of ea. Postpaid 25c

910 1/2 Lb. of ea. Postpaid 55c

911 1 Lb. of ea. Postpaid 95c

SPINACH

One Packet will sow 35 feet, 1 ounce will sow 100 feet.

513 Mustard Spinach, Tendergreen (25 days)—This green combines the flavors of mustard and spinach. Very prolific, it produces 6 or 7 crops a year.

Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 20c.

***511 Nobel's Giant Thick Leaf** (43 days)—Has large dark green crimped leaves, and one of the heaviest yielders. Does not go to seed early.

Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 16c; 1/4 Lb. 50c.

512 Savoy Bloomsdale (40 days)—Large, curled, deep green leaves. Plant real early and enjoy early greens.

Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 20c; 1/4 Lb. 55c.

PUMPKINS

One Pkt. will sow 8 hills; 1 Ounce 24 hills.

502 Connecticut Field (120 days)—Heaviest producer. Big, yellow pumpkins that weigh 15 to 25 pounds. Thick, sweet, fine-grained flesh.

**Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 15c; 1/4 Lb. 35c;
1 Lb. \$1.00.**

503 Small Sugar Pie (115 days)—Weigh 4 pounds. What delicious pies you get from its rich golden-orange flesh, thick, sweet, finest flavor.

**Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 15c; 1/4 Lb. 42c;
1 Lb. \$1.25.**

RADISHES

Contain Vitamin C and minerals

One Packet will sow 30 feet; 1 Ounce, 100 feet.

Sow every 2 weeks for a continuous supply of fresh radishes all season.

*504 **Early Scarlet Globe** (22 days)—By far the most popular real early radish. Bright scarlet, olive-shaped, crisp and tender.

Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 15c.

505 **French Breakfast** (24 days)—Early oblong shaped radish, scarlet with white tip.

Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 15c.

*507 **New Crimson Giant** (28 days)—A rather new red radish that is fast becoming the most popular of all radishes. It is a large round radish being about 1½ inches in diameter when fully grown. Deep crimson in color with white flesh that is very crisp and tender, and stays that way longer than any other red radish we know. Do not sow seed too thickly.

Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 15c.

*508 **White Icicle** (27 days)—Everybody likes this long, snow-white radish. It is very mild, crisp and tender and stays that way for a long time.

Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 15c.

SQUASH

Contains vitamins A, B₁ and G, also Calcium and Iron.

528 **Acorn, Table Queen** (58 days)—Weighs about 1 pound, just the right size to cut in half for serving. Dark green hard shell, rich orange-yellow flesh, fine flavor. Large producer.

Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 20c.

527 **Chicago Warted Hubbard** (115 days)—Dark green, warty, and deep orange-yellow flesh. Weighs about 16 pounds. The best winter squash.

Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 23c.

530 **Early Straightneck** (55 days)—Heavily warted, thick necked, straight lemon-yellow fruit with light yellow flesh. Weighs about 3 pounds.

Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 20c.

531 **Striped Cushaw** (115 days)—Fruits are crooknecked, very large and irregularly green striped. Thick, sweet, light yellow flesh. Very prolific.

Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 20c.

USEFUL VEGETABLES TO ROUND OUT YOUR GARDEN

563 **Brussel Sprouts, Long Island**—Thickly set stems with solid cabbage-like balls. Contains A, B₁, C, Calcium, Phosphorus and Iron.

Pkt. 10c.

433 **Cauliflower, Early Snowball**—The most widely planted early variety. Compact snow-white heads. A fine home garden variety.

Pkt. 10c.

457 **Dill**—The common dill pickle herb.

Pkt. 10c.

458 **Egg Plant, Black Beauty**—The thick smooth rich purple fruits are very early.

Pkt. 10c.

TOMATOES

Contain vitamins A, B₁, C, G, P. P., and minerals

522 **Burpee's Hybrid** (70 days)—Fruits are medium to large, average 8 ounces in weight, deep globular in shape, flesh is meaty and scarlet-red in color and decidedly rich in flavor. It is a great producer and a valuable tomato for the home garden.

Pkt. (30 seeds) 35c; 3 Pkts. \$1.00; 5 Pkts. \$1.50

514 **Earliana** (66 days)—A widely planted extra early variety. Medium size, bright red fruits.

Pkt. 10c; ½ Oz. 30c; 1 Oz. 50c.

516 **Giant Ponderosa** (88 days)—Our selected strain produces fruit of immense size and smoother than most others. Fruits have few seeds, are very solid and have a fine flavor.

Pkt. 10c; ½ Oz. 35c; 1 Oz. 55c.

524 **Jubilee** (72 days)—A new and different tomato that should have a place in your garden. The large orange-yellow skinned fruits are a novel in appearance. It has small seed cavities and a non-acid wonderful flavor.

Pkt. 10c; ½ Oz. 75c.

*519 **Marglobe** (77 days)—A heavy yielder of large, smooth, deep red, globe-shaped tomato with thick, firm meat. Fine for canning and slicing. Resistant to wilt and nail-head rust.

Pkt. 10c; ½ Oz. 20c; 1 Oz. 30c.

*523 **Rutger's** (77 days)—Most widely planted of all tomatoes. Bright scarlet, meaty fruits are fine for slicing and canning. Ripens from the inside out. Fine quality. Very heavy producer. Resistant to wilt and nail-head rust.

Pkt. 10c; ½ Oz. 20c; 1 Oz. 35c.

TURNIPS

Contain vitamins C and Calcium. Turnip top greens contain A, B₁, C, G, P.P., Calcium, Phosphorus, Iron.

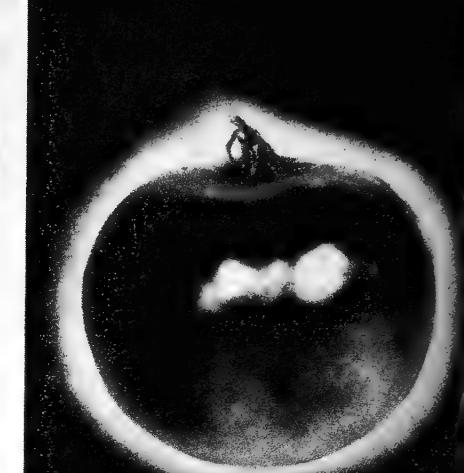
One Packet sows 40 feet, 1 Oz. 200 ft. To get largest yield, broadcast turnip seed thinly instead of planting in rows.

533 **Purple Top Strap Leaf**—Flat, medium sized roots, purple topped, fine grained and mild.

Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 16c.

*534 **Purple Top White Globe**—Most widely planted turnip. Globe-shaped and white, tender flesh. Very mild in flavor.

Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 16c.



Rutger's



Nobel's Giant Thick Leaf



Purple Top White Globe

459 **Endive, Green Curled**—Delicious for autumn and winter salads. Frost improves its quality and flavor. Contains A, C, G, Calcium and Iron.

Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 22c.

457A **Gherkin, West Indies**—Small oval shaped prickly cucumber, fine for small pickles.

Pkt. 10c; ½ Oz. 20c.

461 **Kohlrabi, Early White**—Best for home use, has mild, crisp and tender flesh, dwarf.

Pkt. 10c.

468 **Mustard, Giant Southern Curled**—Long and wide leaves with curled edges for greens. Contains A, B₁, G, PP, Calcium, Phosphorus and Iron.

Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 18c.

525 **Salsify, Mammoth Sandwich Island**—A delicious, nutritious vegetable with a decided oyster flavor. Keeps in ground over winter but must be dug before spring growth starts.

Pkt. 10c.

*423 **Swiss Chard, Lucullus**—The most commonly grown chard. It is of the beet family but is grown for its leaves only, which make very fine greens.

Pkt. 10c; 1 Oz. 20c.

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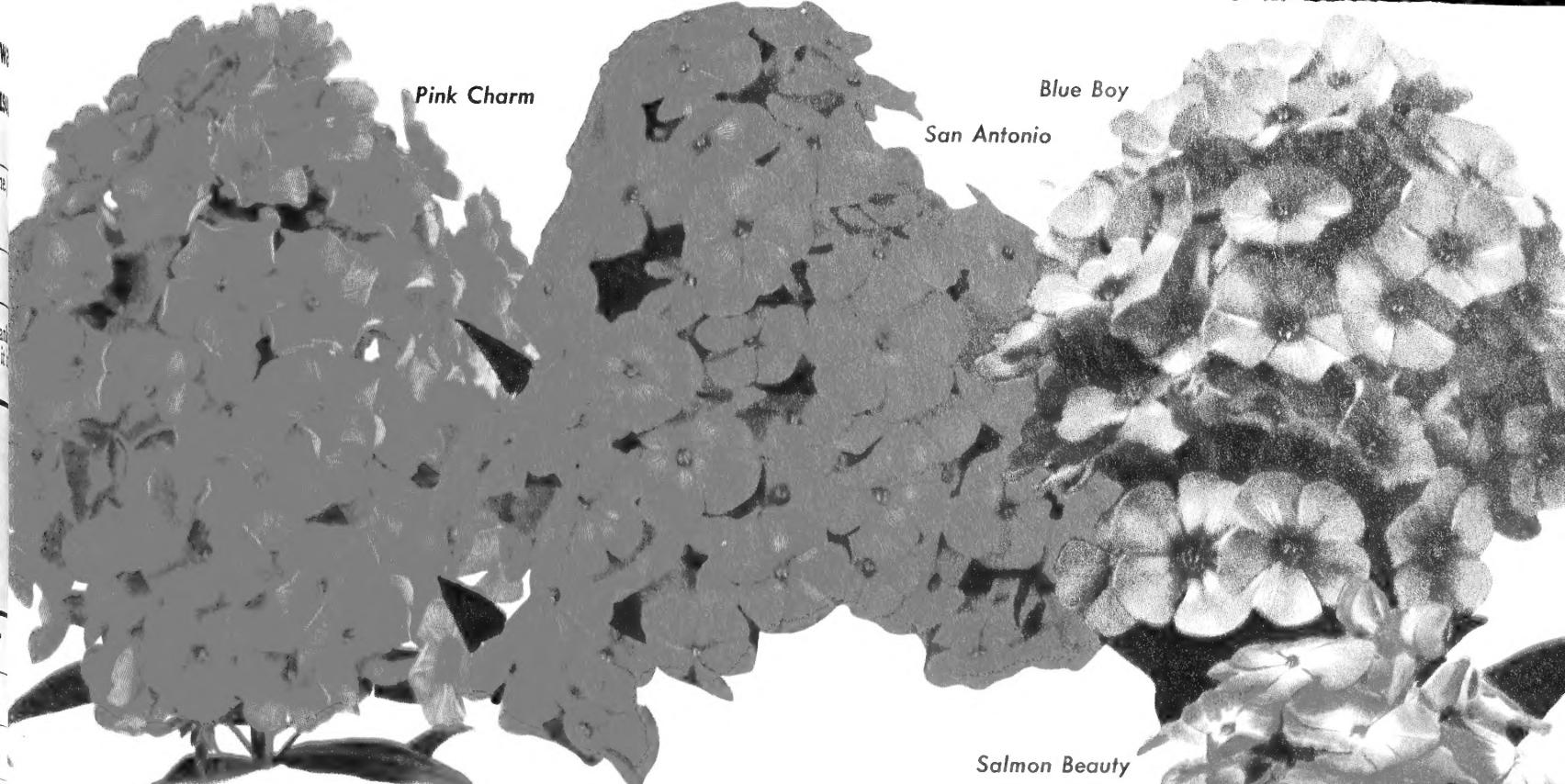
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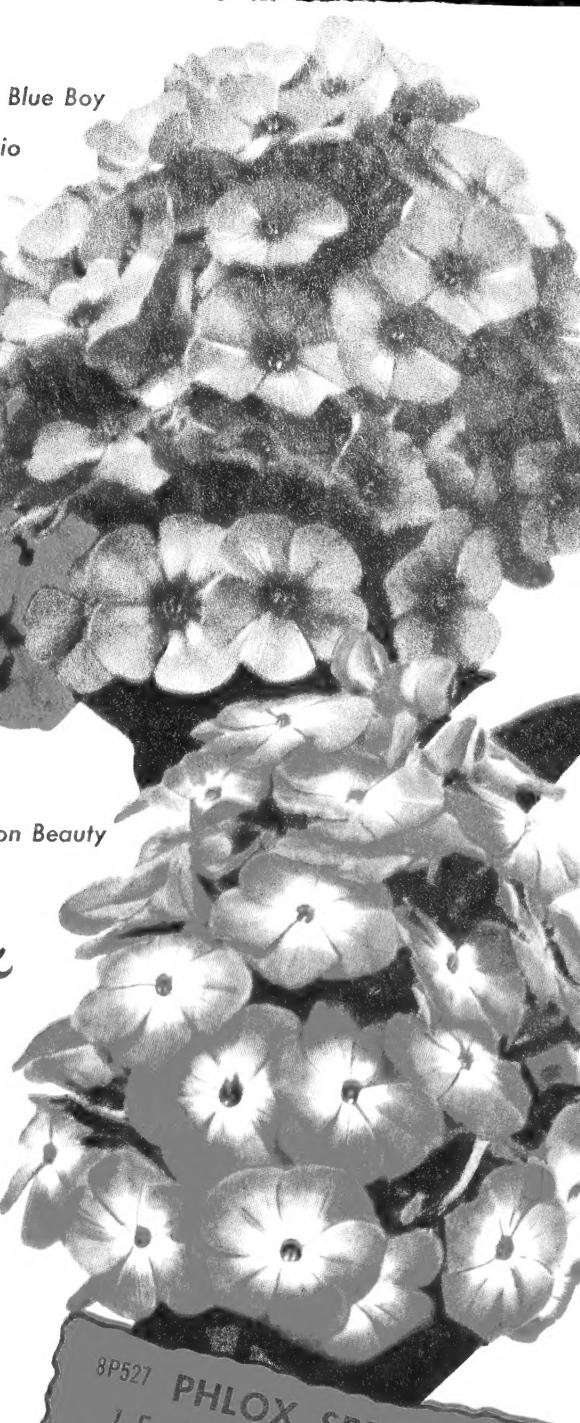
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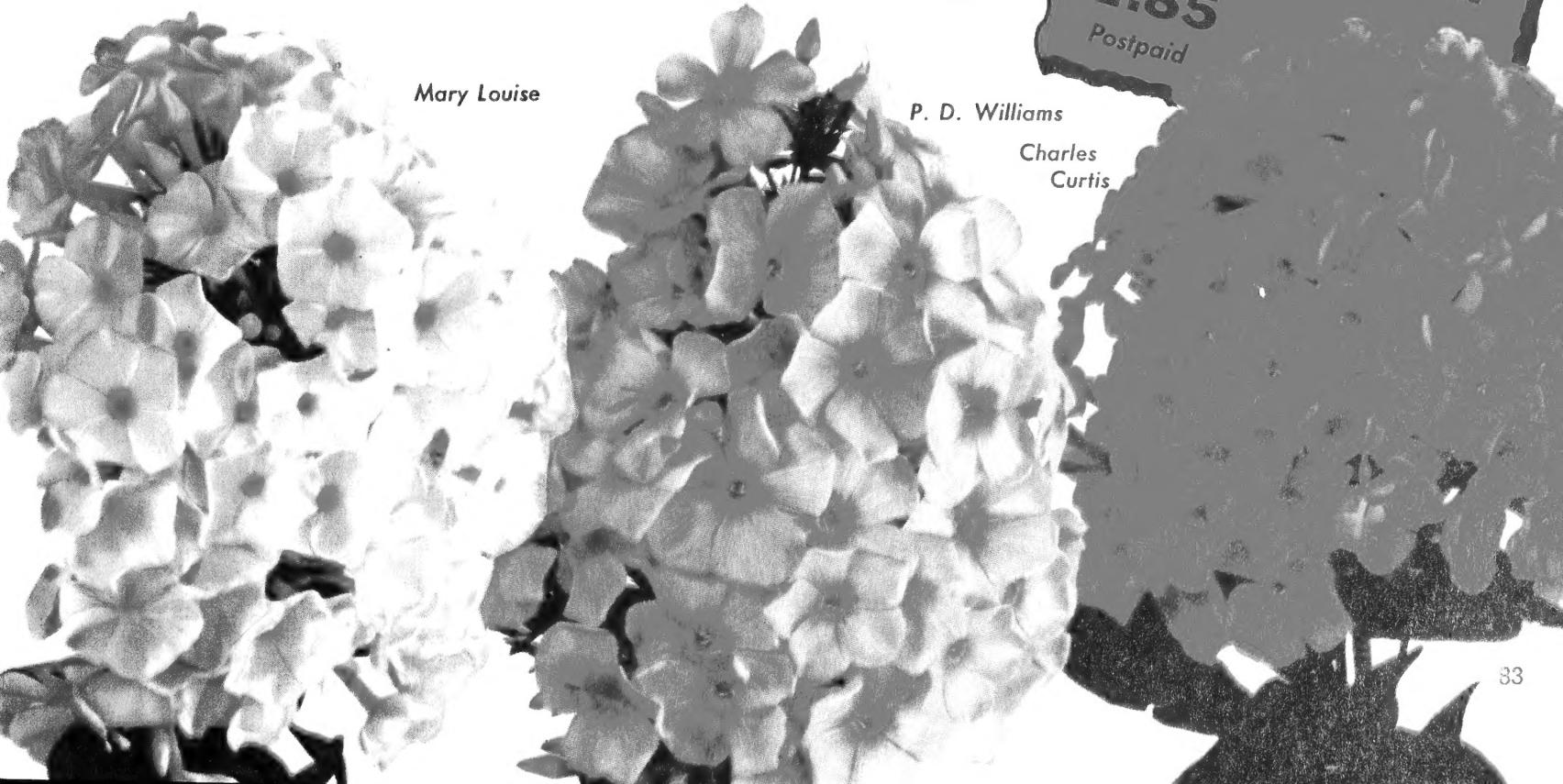
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F25 **Golden Giant** originated in the orchard of Dave Moore, Grand Junction, the famous fruit section of

western Colorado. Several years ago Dave planted some of our Sungold peaches. Four years ago he wrote us that we had the best peach in America but he had the best apricot. We immediately went out there and every year since we have visited with Dave and his fine family.

The true story of Golden Giant, its tremendous annual crops, its huge size, its marvelous flavor and sweetness, its rich color, its shipping quality, its hardiness and vigor, calls for a Shakespeare. We can simply tell you that the size is immense, 2 inches across and more than 2 inches long. The color is a golden orange with light blush. It is the finest apricot we ever ate, the sweetest, most delicious flavor. Moreover even if picked fairly green it develops this fine flavor where other apricots taste insipid when picked green. It makes the finest sauce and preserves you ever tasted and is extra fine for

freezing. If you selected the largest fruits, you could hardly get 6 in a quart jar. The flesh is a rich golden color, so tender and sweet and absolutely stringless. Free-stone, of course, but we think the flavor is even richer if canned with the pits in.

Golden Giant is a heavy, annual bearer, never missing a crop except one year when it froze while the fruit was marble size. Dave says that it is more frost resistant because it has borne when other varieties failed (and Dave has many kinds in his orchard).

Golden Giant is sold ONLY BY THE INTER-STATE NURSERIES and each tree carries our name. This is the first spring that any trees have been sold. We are going to introduce it at a price so that thousands, all over America, can find out how fine it is. The tree itself is attractive enough to plant in your yard. It is shapely with reddish-brown bark, large rich green leaves, lovely flowers and then the delicious fruit. You who have eaten shipped-in apricots picked when green, cannot imagine how truly delightful is Golden Giant. Order today to make sure that you get yours this spring.

Golden Giant Prices

	Each	3 for
5 to 6 feet, not postpaid	\$2.50	\$7.20
4 to 5 feet, not postpaid	2.00	5.70
3 to 4 feet, postpaid	1.50	4.35